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TWELVE O'CLOCK, M.

HARRISBURG.

Legislative Proceedings---Appropriation Bill Passed, the Senate Reconsidering Its Rejection of Conference Committee's Report—Speaker of Senate During the Recess—Number of Bills Passed.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

HARRISBURG, April 15, 1856.

THE APPROPRIATION BILL.

In the Senate, this afternoon, Mr. Jackson, (Democrat,) of Sullivan, moved the reconsideration of the vote of yesterday, defeating the appropriation bill, which was agreed to, and the Conference Committee's report adopted by 17 to 16. Of the seven Republicans who yesterday voted with the Democrats against the bill, Messrs. Brown, of Mercer, Coleman, Fisher, White and Worthington to-day voted for the bill. Messrs. Graham and Billingfelt were the only Republicans voting no.

SPEAKER OF THE SENATE.

The Senate Republican caucus this afternoon unanimously nominated Senator Chas. H. Stinson, of Montgomery, for Speaker during the recess.

BUSINESS DONE.

Nothing was done in the Legislature this afternoon and evening but concurrence in amendments, &c.

The Militia bill was amended by Mr. Errett, in the Senate, to take effect immediately, and passed both Houses.

Mr. Morgan's bill exempting sewing machines belonging to seamstresses in distress for rent, passed both Houses.

Mr. Wilson called up the Senate bill authorizing citizens to hold property held or devised by aliens, which passed both Houses.

Mr. Morgan's coal oil inspection bill, for Allegheny county, passed both Houses.

The Senate bill regulating the taking of game, passed both Houses.

Mr. Wilson's bill admitting Saint Paul's Orphan Asylum of Pittsburgh to Soldiers' Orphans act, passed both Houses.

Mr. Jones' bill authorizing cities and boroughs to provide against adulteration of milk, passed both Houses.

The Senate bill against obscene advertisements, prohibiting the publication of noxious medicines for sexual diseases, passed both houses.

Mr. Nicholson, in the House, charged ten Senators, who voted to reject the appropriation bill, with drawing one thousand dollars salary previous to voting.

CHICAGO.

Meeting of Lake Sailors at Chicago--Chloroformed and Robbed.

(By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.)

CHICAGO, April 15.—A large meeting of lake sailors was held in this city last evening, the object of which being to form a Union for the protection of their interests. Several speeches were made in support of the movement, when the following resolutions were read and unanimously adopted: *Whereas*, The seamen of the entire chain of lakes have each succeeding season observed with dissatisfaction the conduct of captains and ship owners in discharging them, in strange ports, on any slight pretext, when shipping from Chicago or elsewhere, and so depriving them of a fair chance of making an honest livelihood; and *Whereas*, Seamen are shut out from their legitimate occupation during five winter months, thus depriving their families of support during the period in which they are unemployed, because they are not paid enough during the active season to supply the means of living through the dull season; therefore, be it

Resolved, That we, the seamen of Chicago, pledge ourselves to work in unison with the Seamen's Union Benevolent Association of this city, as we believe it to be the champion of our rights and vigilant protector of our interests.

Over four hundred members then enrolled themselves.

Last night, about eleven o'clock, the house of a Mr. Scherer, in the north division, was entered by two men with blackened faces, who immediately seized Mrs. Scherer, her husband being absent, and while holding her firmly applied a sponge filled with chloroform to her nostrils until consciousness ceased. The villains then searched all the drawers and tore up several of the carpets, but were rewarded only by the finding of twenty dollars in silver and a small amount of jewelry.

BALTIMORE.

The Death Sentence—Baltimore and Ohio Rail Road Dividends.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

BALTIMORE, April 15.—In the Criminal Court this morning John McNamara was sentenced to be hanged on such day as the Governor may appoint, for the murder of his wife on Christmas day, 1867.

At a meeting of the directors of the Baltimore and Ohio Rail Road, yesterday, the usual semi-annual dividend of 4 per cent on the main stem, and 5 per cent on the Washington Branch, were declared. The arrangements for transferring through trains across from Locust Point to Canton, instead of passing through the city by Pratt street, were discussed. It was announced the track would be ultimately be removed from Pratt street.

ALTOONA, PA.

Extensive Fire—Seventeen Houses Burned—Loss $40,000.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

ALTOONA, PA., April 15.—A fire broke out in Piper's livery stable at eight o'clock and gained such headway as to baffle the efforts of the firemen. In a short time seventeen houses and a number of stables were destroyed. Loss about $40,000; partially insured.

NEW YORK CITY.

Recovery of a Valuable Estate—A Vigilance Committee Man—The New Spanish Constitution—Address in Behalf of Cuban Liberators—Fire in Jersey City—Bankers and the Revenue—Custom House Retrenchment.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

NEW YORK, April 15, 1869.

In the Brooklyn Supreme Court yesterday, Mrs. Winnifred Ward, who was married to John Ward in 1834, and was not from that time till the time of his decease, in 1864, recognized by him as his wife, recovered over thirty thousand dollars from his estate.

Frederick S. Bogue was brought before the Court of General Sessions yesterday, charged with being a member of a so-called Vigilance Committee, and promulgating inflammatory reports about crime and the courts. Judge Bedford discharged him with the threat that if brought before him again he would send him to the State prison.

The draft of the new Spanish Constitution is printed. Article twenty obliges the nation to maintain the worship and the ministers of the Catholic religion. By the following article resident foreigners receive the right of exercising any other worship, and article twenty-two concedes to Spaniards who profess another religion than Roman Catholic, the right which the preceding section had conceded to foreigners.

The Broadway, New York, Surface Railroad bill was tabled in the Senate to-day.

Mr. J. Valiente, general agent of the Cuban revolutionists, has issued an address to the people of the United States, in which he says the Cuban liberating army has been gradually increasing, notwithstanding the losses consequent upon a steady campaign, and now comprises some forty-two thousand men under Cespedes, who is Commander-in-Chief of that army, and the head of the Republican Government, duly established within the lines of the Liberators. Their lines run in a westerly direction from the eastern end of the Island to Sagua La Grande, without reaching the seaboard either north or south, for want of the requisite armament to hold it, but the territory pointed out is nearly two-thirds of the area of Cuba, in which slavery has been abolished and in which the Spanish control only the ground where they are kept at bay. This has been done by the Patriots in a comparatively short time, notwithstanding thier sad deficiency in war material, and leads to the belief that if they had been tolerably supplied with such materials their movements would now cover also the remainder of the Island, where no uprising has yet taken place from the utter want of arms, while their enemies are fully armed with the best approved weapons of the United States.

Deputy Commissioner of Internal Revenue Douglas has instructed Assessor Webster that the average of all money, whether borrowed or otherwise, used or employed during the month by any banker in the business of banking, excepting only deposits which are returned for tax as such, should enter into the estimate of the capital taxable under section 110 of the law now in force.

The freehold of the New Jersey Gas Company's works and those of the Newark Pneumatic Company, and three large barns were burnt Wednesday. In consequence of the explosion of a still in the latter establishment the entire lower part of the village took fire from cinders, but was saved. Loss $9,000.

The Congressional Committee of Ways and Means were at the Custom House again to-day, and visited the several departments.

The French Government has made a contract with two houses in this city for three thousand hogsheads Virginia tobacco, to be filled in Richmond.

At the examination before the referee this afternoon, as to the bank account of Henry C. Crane, said to be connected with the Union Pacific Railroad, and alleged to amount to $5,000,000, the President of the Corn Exchange Bank testified the balance to his credit is $1,270, and the total deposits since January last would not amount to $100,000.

The reported scene between President Grant and General Sickles is authoritatively denied. There is no reason to believe the President intended to nominate General Sickles for the Spanish mission.

Collector Grinnell has consolidated two divisions in the Custom House under one Deputy Collector. It is understood this change dispenses with one Deputy at $3,000 a year, and a number of clerks, whose salaries amount to many thousands of dollars.

CUBA.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

HAVANA, April 15.—The Revolutionary Junta at Holgiun was captured and executed on the 6th inst., at Jibra.

Havana journals publish very favorable accounts of the progress of troops in subduing the insurrection in all parts of the Island, but accounts of affairs in the interior from rebel sources are wanting, and there are no means of ascertaining the facts. It is known several fights have taken place within the last two or three days, but they are represented to be mere skirmishes.

The captured American brig Mary Lowell has been declared a legal prize by the Spanish Courts. The acting Consul General has sent the United States steamer Penobscot to Key West with dispatches informing the Government of the facts.

The Grain Project at St. Louis.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

ST. LOUIS, April 15.—The most enthusiastic meeting that has yet assembled in the grain interest was held at the Southern Hotel to-night. Speeches were made by a number of gentlemen. The question in all its bearings was fully discussed and the complete success pretty clearly demonstrated. Nearly all the stock has been taken and the remainder will be subscribed before the close of the week. The following gentlemen were elected Directors of the Association: E. O. Stanard, Geo. P. Plant, Chauncey Filley, Henry A. Hoymer, L. R. Shyrock, R. C. Greer, H. C. Haartstein, George Cain, Henry Hitchcock, John Hall, T. Richeson. These names belong to some of the most active, energetic, enterprising and intelligent merchants of St. Louis and will constitute an unusually strong Board. The Directors will elect officers at once and the Association will go into immediate operation.

SECOND EDITION.

FOUR O'CLOCK A. M.

THE CAPITAL.

Nominations Sent In, Confirmed and Withdrawn—Treaties Ratified—Foreign Missions—Department Matters—Supreme Court Decisions—Business on Union Pacific Railroad.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, April 15, 1869.

NOMINATIONS.

The President sent to the Senate the following nominations:

Henry Baxter, of Michigan, Minister to Honduras; Chas. E. Delong, of Nevada, Minister to Japan; Adams Bedeaw, Assistant Secretary of Legation at London.

To be Consuls: Jas. Park, of Indiana, at Hesse Darmstadt; Alex. Jourdan, of Pennsylvania, at Venice; H. C. Rogers, of Minnesota, at Hesse Cassel, Nassau, and Hesse Hamburg; Edward Robinson, of New York, at Hamburg; J. W. Grover, of South Carolina, at Ancona; Albert D. Shaw, of New York, at Toronto; Samuel D. Jones, of California, at Revel; Samuel D. Pall, of Michigan, at Sarnia; Jas. C. Fletcher, of Indiana, at Oporto; John Caldwell, of Maine, at Valparaiso; Jas. V Schofield, of Missouri, at Hakodadi; M. M. Delano, of Colorado, at Singapore.

Edward M. M. Cook, Governor of Colorado; W. S. Seubner, Secretary of Montana.

Postmasters: John Lingafelt, Hollidaysburg, Pa.; John A. Myler, Allegheny, Pa.

Assessors Internal Revenue: Edward Scull, Sixteenth District, Pa.; Wm. H. Thompson, First District, Pa.

H. D. Barron, of Wisconsin, Fifth Auditor of Treasury; J. J. Martin, of Alabama, Sixth Auditor.

NOMINATIONS CONFIRMED.

The Senate, in executive session, today, confirmed the following naminations:

Assessors of Internal Revenue—David P. Williams, 15th District, Pa.; Jno. P. Rea, 9th District, Pa.

Samuel J. Fisher, of Ohio, to be Commissioner of Patents.

R. L. B. Burk, of Iowa, to be Examiner in Chief of Patent Office.

H. Van Aernam, of New York, Commissioner of Pensions.

Joseph G. Palen, Chief Justice of the Supreme Court, New Mexico; H. S. Johnson and Abram Bergen, Associate Justices of New Mexico.

Joseph L. Lewis, Associate Justice of the Supreme Court of Idaho.

Commander Bancroft Gherardi, to take his former position on the Navy Register, next after Commander G. M. Norris, for meritorious and gallant services during the war; Capt. James Forney, Marine Corps, to be brevet Major, for gallantry in the action against the savages at Formosa.

E. C. Banfield, Solicitor of the Treasury, *vice* Jordan.

Postmasters: Henry Stevenson, Greenville, Ohio; Jos. F. Curren, Delaware, O; H. H. Bingham, Philadelphia, Pa; A. W. Merrick, Shamburg, Pa; L. S. Blair, Hyde Park, Pa; Robt. Treadwell, Norristown, Pa; John W. Cracrant, Kanawha, W. Va; David Tindall, New Cornish, Pa; H. P. Moody, Susquehana Depot, Pa; George W. Richart, Pottstown, Pa; George L. Stone, Montrose, Pa; S. W. Alvord, Towanda, Pa; Albert K. Rheer, Carlisle, Pa; Stewart Pierce, Wilkes-Barre, Pa; H. C. Goslin, Carbondale, Pa; James Slocum, Scranton, Pa.

H. M. Hoyt, Collector Internal Revenue, Twelfth District, Pa.

NOMINATIONS WITHDRAWN.

The President has withdrawn the nominations of D. B. R. Keim, as Consul at Foochow; also, that of H. K. A. Liverman, as Consul at Lyons, Jno. L. Nears, Consul at Port Sarnia, and Hullo Hillebrandt, Consul at Smyrna.

DEPARTMENT MATTERS.

It is understood the Second Comptroller of the Treasury Department will shortly resign. Jno. D. Defrees, late Superintendent of Public Printing, will probably be appointed.

C. P. Blackmer, of Connecticut, Chief of Division of Back Pay and Bounties of the Treasury Department, was removed yesterday. He was a candidate for Second Auditor.

President Grant is busy to-day with Secretary Fish and other members of his Cabinet, and none but Cabinet Ministers were allowed to see him. Many Congressmen are disappointed.

Secretary Cox had a lengthy interview with the President, and upon his return to the Interior Department, at noon, refused admission to visitors.

About one hundred persons were removed from the Register's office yesterday. At least that many more will be removed. Two hundred male clerks will probably be removed before the end of the present week. No appointments are made in places thus vacated.

TREATIES RATIFIED.

The naturalization treaty with Great Britain, similar to the other ones negotiated on the same subject with other European powers, was ratified by the Senate.

The Darien Canal treaty went over till next session after debate, in which Messrs. Fessenden, Wilson, Warner, and others urged that while, by the terms of the treaty the United States was bound to construct the canal, no privileges beyond the mere right of way were accorded in return.

FOREIGN MISSIONS.

Minister Hale's resignation as Minister to Spain, has been received by Secretary Fish.

The opposition of Mr. Pile, ex-member of Congress from Missouri, nominated as Minister to Brazil, is very great, and strong efforts will be made, not only with the Foreign Committee but with General Grant, to have the nomination recalled.

Mr. Cameron is also vigorously opposing Mr. Curtin's confirmation as Minister to Russia.

General Sickles had a long interview with Grant, expressing dissatisfaction with his treatment, but Grant explained that Sickles' nomination was opposed by Sumner, Anthony, and othsrs.

SUPREME COURT DECISIONS.

The Supreme Court made several decisions to-day:

In the case of the United States vs. John Kirby, appeal from Circuit Court from Kentucky, the question certified was decided in the negative, the Court holding while the law provided for cases of wilful detention or obstructions of mails, it does not prevent the arrest of a supposed criminal.

In the case of John E. Reeside against the United States for the enforcement of an old contract for carrying mails in Arkansas. Missippi and Alabama, the Court reversed the judgment of the Court of Claims and ordered a verdict for plaintiff.

The case of Cornelius K. Garrison against the United States, involving a balance due for arms furnished to Gen. Butler for light troops, was similarly decided.

No decision was given in the legal tender cases.

The Blair election case was continued for advisement.

A SERENADE.

The employes of the Government printing office, numbering about three hundred, waited upon Hon. John D. Defrees at his residence last night, and complimented him with a serenade on the occasion of his retirement from office. He was presented with a complimentary resolutions, handsomely engrossed on parchment. Mr. Defrees responded in a brief speech. Mr. Clapp, the incoming Congressional printer, was also serenaded by a large number of persons, principally New Yorkers.

SENATE SESSION.

The Senate, in Executive Session today, considered the treaty between the United States and Great Britain, leaving the settlement of the San Juan Island question to the arbitration of Switzerland, but came to no conclusion upon the subject. The probability is that the Senate will not adjourn before Wednesday next.

UNION PACIFIC RAILROAD.

The following dispatch has been received here:

Omaha, Neb., April 15.—Oliver Ames, President Union Pacific Railroad Company: All our passenger cars are required to accommodate the travel west. Much of it is bound to White Pine.

[Signed.] WEBSTER SNYDER, Supt.

AURORAL DISPLAY.

The Phenomenon in Different Localities—Effect on the Telegraph.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

RICHMOND, April 15.—About eight o'clock this evening a belt of white, apparently about six feet in width, appeared across the sky, extending from east to west and drifted northwest, crossing and to some extent obscuring the moon, and finally gathered as a fan closes and disappeared. The Aurora Borealis is not visible in the northern horizon. The people generally turned out to witness the phenomenon.

We have had frost for the last three nights.

PHILADELPHIA, April 15.—A remarkable auroral display occurred to-night, the greatest since the electric storm of 1859. Broad bands of red and green light, reaching from east to west horizon, suddenly changed into knots overhead, which sent forth broad rays in every direction. During its continuance the Western Union Telegraph Company worked its lines from this city to the western part of the State without the use of a battery at either end. The wires to Boston were worked with the auroral current alone for a quarter of an hour. The streamers covered the Heavens and were very brilliant.

NEW YORK, April 15.—The most brilliant auroral display took place this evening. The auroral current affected the telegraph wires east and west, almost suspending operations for a time. The current was very heavy.

LOUISVILLE, April 15.—Between half past seven and ten P. M. the Northern Lights were slightly visible, but the effects upon the telegraph wires were hardly perceptible.

INDIANAPOLIS, April 15.—The Aurora Borealis was seen here about eight o'clock, with a whitish color, as though the clouds were rent by winds. On the south a beautiful bow was formed. About nine o'clock the sky was again lighted up, first in the north-west and then veering around to the east, darting out huge sheets of light which turned red and then faded away until they could scarcely be seen, when again they would burst forth anew. The phenomenon lasted about half an hour.

CINCINNATI, April 15.—This evening there was a fine auroral display in the northern horizon. Brilliant columns shot up to the zenith. The telegraph wires, except those running south and west, were disturbed, the current sometimes strong and at others almost neutralized.

Ex-President Johnson at Memphis.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

MEMPHIS, April 15.—Ex-President Johnson spoke to about five thousand persons this afternoon, from a stand at the Overton Hotel. His speech was but a repetition of those made at Knoxville and Nashville. He was well received and heartily applauded.

Passed Over the Veto.

CHICAGO, April 15.—The much talked of Lake Front bill recently vetoed by Governor Palmer, was passed to-day in the House, over the veto, by a vote of 52 to 31. The Tax Exemption bill also passed over the Governor's veto.

Bridge Inspection.

Yesterday morning the U. S. Bridge Inspectors appointed to consider and report to Congress a plan for the erection of a Bridge across the East River at New York, arrived in the city, and spent several hours in examining the St. Clair Suspension Bridge. The Inspectors intend proceeding from this point to examine the Cincinnati and Niagara Bridges, after which they will return to Washington, and present their report to the authorities for action. The parties are stopping at the Monongahela House. The following gentlemen compose the Inspection Board:

John A. Roebling, Horatio Allen, J. Dutton Steele, J. J. Serrell, William A. Roebling, Hon. H. W. Slocum, Alex. M'Cue, W. A. Fowler. Hugh M'Laughlin, Thos. Kinsada, E. Carcy, C. C. Martin, W. C. Kingsley, J. W. Lewis, Thos. Wilson, S. R. Probasco, Julius W. Adams.

BRIEF TELEGRAMS.

—Timothy C. Day, Ex-Congressman, died at Cincinnati yesterday.

—The custom receipts for the week ending April 10th were $5,121,399.

—Major Chas. O. Rogers, proprietor of the Boston *Journal*, died last evening.

—The earnings of the Michigan Southern Railroad for the past year were $4,747,219. Operating expenses, $2,886,387.

—The second session of the First Parliament of the Dominion of Canada was opened yesterday, at Ottowa, by the Governor General.

—The ceremony of laying the corner stone of the new State Normal School at Buffalo, was celebrated in an imposing manner yesterday.

—At Ripon, Wisconsin, Wednesday morning, fifteen buildings were destroyed by fire, involving a total loss of about $40,000, on which there is an insurance of abot $15,000.

—Advices from Hayti are to the effect that the revolutionary General Saget had furnished General Luperon and Ex-President Cabral with means to attack President Baez. It is reported that the invasion of San Domingo has begun.

—At Providence, R. I., a paper has been put in circulation for signatures to an invitation to Governor Burnside, asking him to accept a public ovation, owing to the alleged aspersions on the First Regiment, in the battle of Bull Run, by Senator Sprague.

—A dispatch states that a coach came through in twelve hours from Terminal station on the Central Pacific Railroad, which is completed within six miles of Monument Point. Travel over the Union Pacific is very heavy. A large number of persons are going to White Pine and and other mining localities.

—W. B. Dinsmore, of Stratsburg, N. Y., has lost four valuable imported cattle. They were seen licking the sides of a newly painted barn, after which they, with three others, were taken suddenly ill. The four Alderney cattle, imported from Scotland, together with three Alderney heifers, died within three days. They cost five thousand dollars in gold. The remainder are recovering.

—The following resolution was adopted at a meeting of flour dealers of Chicago, on Wednesday: *Resolved*, That it is the opinion of this meeting that an establishment of grades and the selection of standards of extra and superfine are desirable, and that whenever the parties to a trade so desire flour to be inspected, as sound, full weight and equal to such standards, if it can be accomplished without interfering with the present general custom of inspection and trade.

—A large number of Indians, with whom General Sherman and other Peace Commissioners made treaties last summer, are much dissatisfied with their situation and the manner in which they have been used. They say that the Government has got them penned in and failed to keep its promises to give them the annuities stipulated. Spotted Tail and other influential chiefs are losing confidence in the Government, and if the promises of its agents are not fulfilled this summer trouble will be the result. There are in camp in the reservation, in the vicinity of Grand River and Fort Sully, and in Spotted Tail's camp, about four thousand warriors, and if he should choose could sweep every white man from Fort Sully to Yankton before the Government could do anything.

Markets by Telegraph.

LONDON, April 15.—1 P. M.—Consols for money, 93¼; for account, 93⅜. Five-Twenties firm at 87½, ex Coupons. Stocks steady; Erie, 24; Illinois, 96¾; Atlantic and Great Western, 30. Tallow, 46s Sugar 39s. 3d.

ANTWERP, April 15.—Petroleum 53 @53½ francs.

LIVERPOOL, April 15.—Cotton is quiet and steady, middling uplands, 12¼; Orleans, 12½; sales have been made of 10,000 bales. California white wheat, 9s. 3d.; red western, 8s. 8d. Western Flour 22s. Corn 28s. 6d. for new. Oats 3s. 5d. Barley 5s. Peas 39s. Pork 105s. Beef 90s. Lard 71s. 6d. Cheese 78. Bacon 62s. 3d. Spirits Petroleum: refined 1s. 10d. Turpentine 30s. 9d.@31s.

LIVERPOOL, April 15—*Evening*.—Cotton closed at the following rates: Middling Uplands, 12¼d., and Orleans, 12½d; Sales to-day amounted to 10,000 bales. Wheat declined to 9s. 2d. for California white, 8. 7d.@8s. 8d., for No. 2 red Western, and other Breadstuffs unchanged. Provisions and Produce closed, unchanged.

LONDON, April 15—*Evening*.—Consols closed at 93¼. Money at 93⅜ account. 5-20s quiet at 81½, ex-cupons. Railroad stocks steady and unchanged. Tallow at 45s. 9d.@46s. per cwt. Spirits Turpentine at 31s.@31s. 3d. Linseed Oil at £30 stealing per ton. Sugar, Oils and Linseed unchanged.

ANTWERP, April 15.—Petroleum quiet and unchanged.

HAVRE, April 15—*Evening*.—Cotton closed unchanged for both stock on spot and to arrive.

PARIS, April 15.—The bullion in the Bank of France increased 4,900,000 f during the past week.

LONDON, April 15.—Weekly returns of Bank of England show the amount of specie decreased £25,000 sterling.

LONDONDERRY, April 15.—The steamship Europa, from New York on the 3d, arrived.

BREST, April 15.—The steamship Europe, from New York on the 3d, arrived to-day.

NEW ORLEANS, April 15.—Cotton lower at 28¼@28¾c for middlings; sales of 1,800 bales; receipts, 265 bales; exports, 4,907 bales. Gold 132⅜. Sterling 142½; Commercial $141½@142. New York Sight ⅛@¼ premium. Sugar firmer; common 10½@11c, prime 13¼@14c. Molasses scarce; fermenting 50@55c. Flour is very firm and the stock reduced; superfine $5,85, double extra $6,50, treble extra $6,75. Corn scarce and higher; white 78@80c. Oats scarce; sales at 74c. Bran scarce and quoted at $1,30. Hay firm at $27 for prime. Pork dull at $31,87. Bacon dull and lower; shoulders 13½c, clear rib sides 17c, clear sides 17¼c. Lard dull; tierce 18@19c, and keg 21c. Whisky firmer; western rectified 90@95c. Coffee quiet and unchanged.

MEMPHIS, April 15.—Cotton unchanged; receipts 180; exports 1,148 bales. Flour dull at $5,50@6 for superfine. Corn at 75c. Oats at 70c. Hay at $26. Park at $22, Lard at 19c. Bacon quiet at 14c for shoulders, and 17½c for sidos. Bulk Meats quiet at 12½c for shoulders, and 16½@16¾c for sides.

NASHVILLE, April 15—The Cotton market is quiet, with sales of low middling at 25½c, and good ordinary at 24½c.

CITY AND SUBURBAN.

A Bold Thief.

Yesterday morning William Dougherty made information before the Mayor charging Ed. Grier and Mat. Riley with larceny. Dougherty resides on the line of the Allegheny Valley Railroad, about ten miles from the city, and, it appears, came to the city Wednesday on business. After transacting his business he resolved to remain in the city over night and see the "sights," but unfortunately for him, before he had seen all that was to be seen, he had his "eye closed." He alleges that after taking several drinks he met a stranger who appeared to be a jovial, good sort of a fellow, who volunteered to show him round. He had made the tour of the hill, and returned, paying for the carriage hired for himself and new found friend, and went to John Williams' saloon, on Liberty street, near the Union Depot, where he called for two suppers. Before supper had been prepared, however, they were joined by two other persons who were introduced to him as friends of his companion, and he being of a liberal turn of mind ordered supper for them also. After the supper had been discussed, and the party had taken a drink all around, Dougherty stepped up to the counter to pay the bill, when the clerk and he got into an altercation about the matter. The clerk alleged that six suppers had been served, and Dougherty refused to pay for more than four, which he said was all that he had ordered. While they were discussing the matter some one came up behind him and knocked him down. While talking with the clerk he had his money, about thirteen dollars, in his hand, and still retained it after getting up. As soon as he recovered himself he clinched the man whom he thought had struck him, and was holding him, when the man whom he had first met in the early part of the evening interfered and separated them. He, Dougherty, then put his money in his pocket, and shook hands with the man who knocked him down, and while doing so, one of the party slipped his hand in Dougherty's pocket and took his money and ran out of the door. Dougherty followed him out, and on reaching the sidewalk, was knocked down by the man who had taken his money, whom he says concealed himself in a door adjoining the saloon. The man, after knocking him down, made his escape, and Dougherty then went in search of an officer, to whom he stated the facts of the case. He accompanied the officer to the office of the Captain of the watch, where he remained until yesterday morning, when he made the information and gave a description of the man. On that description, the defendants, Grier and Riley, were arrested, and at the hearing yesterday, Dougherty identified Grier positively as the man who had taken his money, but failed to recognize in the other the man who had knocked him down the first time. The Mayor held Grier to bail for his appearance at Court and discharged the other.

A Verdict for Forest County.

The suit of Forest county vs. Venango county tried recently before Judge Trunkey, at Franklin, resulted in a verdict in favor of Forest county for $7,164,34. The Forest *Republican* says the suit was brought by the Forest county Commissioners to compel Venango county to refund to Forest county the taxes levied and collected in that portion of the (then Venango) county in 1866. The act of assembly annexing that portion of the county to Forest was passed at the session of 1866 and provides "That all money arising from taxes *levied and assessed* upon the said inhabitants during the *present year* shall be paid to the Treasurer of Forest county." The act was not approved by Gov. Curtin until October 13th following, and consequently did not become a law until that time. Venango county held that the taxes collected in 1866 were levied and assessed in *October*, 1865, hence the suit. The case was tried by a jury chosen from Venango county, and was ably conducted on both sides. Hon. W. L. Corbett and J. D. Hancock, Esq., attorneys for Forest county, and Messrs. McCalmont and Osmer for Venango. The trial occupied the most of two days, and the best of feelings prevailed throughout. The jury were out but a few moments when they returned with the verdict as stated above.

Real Estate Transfers.

The following deeds were filed of record before H. Snively, Esq., Recorder, April 15th, 1869:

John Frazler et al. vs. Robert Munroe, April 15, 1869; lot on Sheffield street, near Bidwell, Fifth ward, Allegheny, 70 by 140 feet, with buildings $35,500

James Dickson to Stewart Scott, April 15, 1869; lot on Western avenue, Second ward, Allegheny, 4 feet 4 inches by 120 feet $3,000

John S. Shaffer to Frederick Evert, January 14, 1866; lot on Diamond alley, Pittsburgh, 40 by 95 feet, with buildings $17,000

John Walker to John Weeger, April 7, 1869; lot in Ross township, containing 134 perches ... $400

Charles D. Wiley to Mrs. Jane Lynn, October 20, 1868; lot on Carroll street, Second ward, Allegheny, 15 by 297 feet .... $,000

John Richardson to John Baldridge, Jr., April 14, 1869; lot on corner of Shingless and Grant streets, Braddocks borough, 82½ by 120 feet, with buildings $3,000

City of Allegheny to Felecian Slataper, lot in Shaler township, containing 3 acres and 92 perches $3,576 25

Heirs of B. A. Mercy to Thomas Kelley, April 1, 1869; lot of ground in the village of Noblestown, containing 13 perches $650

J. M. Speecher to Jacob Walter, April 8, 1867; lot of ground in Harrison township, 40 by 58 feet $175

Felix C. Negley to Ralph White, November 13, 1868; lot of ground in Union township, containing 1½ acres $620

Robert Cunningham to John McCully, January 14, 1869; lot of ground in Patton township, containing 21 acres and 33 perches $1,060

Thomas McMaster to John M. Osborne, April 5, 1869; lot on Grant street, in the village of Turtle Creek, 50 by 111 feet $300

Wm. Wilton to Charles H. Anderson, March 3, 1869; lot corner of Forbes and Pride streets, Sixth ward, Pittsburgh, 17 by 55 feet, with buildings $3,000

George M. Williams to Eliza Thomas, lot on Eva street, Twentieth ward, Pittsburgh, 21 by 120 feet $400

Isaac Kuhn to Ann Moorhead, November 5, 1868; lot in Harrison township, on Brackenridge avenue, 82½ by 292 feet $375 87

MORTGAGES.

Twenty mortgages were filed for record.

—The following is the insurance on the steamer Antelope, burned on Monday, on the upper Missouri River: National, of Boston, $6,250: New England Mutual and Marine, $3,500; Independent, of Boston, $1000; Home, of Connecticut, $3000; Firemans, of Cincinnati, $2,000.

—TWELVE hours of staging bridges the present gap in the Pacific railway.

The Pittsburgh Gazette.

VIOLET TIME.

Violet time is come again;
Once more laughing through the rain,
Spring with sunny crown advances,
Sunshine glittering on the lances.

Long live Spring!—the rainbow arch
Greets his coronation march;
Green his banners, free and brave,
From each tree top rustling wave.

Birds before him fly in crowds;
Fast above him float the clouds;
Swifter run rejoicing rivers;
Sunbeam darts are in his quivers.

Where he treads, primroses rise,
And the daisies ope their eyes;
Black birds sing in every bush,
Answering the merry thrush.

Swallows are his herald's fleet,
Faster than the pulses beat;
Butterflies between the showers,
Tell the glad news to the flowers.

Our old Monarch, Winter's dead;
His crown on another head;
Sunbeams chase the envious rain;
Violet time is come again.

PENNSYLVANIA.

Altoona has two velocipedromes.

Lancaster had a mad dog the other day.

The Pennsylvania canal is now open for navigation.

Col. Frank B. Stewart is the new Postmaster at Altoona.

The Cameron *Independent* wants a female superintendent of the common schools of that county.

Scranton, more fortunate than most cities, has four postoffices, and can therefore have four postmasters.

Colfax is the name of a new post-office in Huntingdon county.

Joseph Ford attempted to ride a velocipede in Chambersburg the other day and succeeded in breaking his leg.

Clearfield had a velocipede contest the other day, the winner of which received a handsome meerschaum pipe.

Mr. Henry Bulger, of Bridgeport, has been appointed postmaster at Brownsville, and the *Clipper* is very much pleased thereat.

Menageries and circuses which have been wintering in this State, have begun to start out, and we hear of them in all parts of the State.

One of our State exchanges says "as Colfax had Nelly Wade, why didn't he have her uncle weighed too? Why because he's Ben Wade."

There are abut 280 cigar manufacturers in the counties of Montgomery and Lehigh. They employ a large number of hands, probably 1,500 to 2,000.

The *Baner America*, a paper published in the Welsh language in Scranton, is publishing Charles Reade's new novel, "Put yourself in his place," in Welsh.

The country papers have begun again to quote about "Winter lingering in the lap of Spring." We hope the opportunity to use this trite tit-bit may speedily disappear.

Erie county is building a new gaol, and in the meantime Warren offers the hospitalities of her gaol to Erie, who accepts the offer and has now twelve of her sons securely lodged there.

A Franklin county farmer writes to his paper that he cured his daughter of the Grecian bend by pouring water on her and then laying her out in the sun until she warped back again.

Samuel Stover, an eccentric old man, residing near Old Line, Rapho township, Lancaster, hung himself in the attic of his dwelling, on Tuesday, the 6th inst. He was about 56 years of age.

Last Wednesday, Somerset's usual monotony was broken by a fire which destroyed a dwelling house, with barns and outhouses and a cabinet making shop near by. None of the contents were saved.

The Lebanon *Courier* admits that it has the best digest of news of any paper in the State. The *Courier* is fortunate in thus finding one paper to acknowledge that, but may look, perhaps in vain, for a second.

The Slocum House, an ancient landmark in Scranton, was destroyed by fire on Saturday, and five families were rendered houseless. The house was built by Ebenezer Slocum, sixty-five years ago, and was the oldest edifice in Scranton.

Geo. Hart, a moulder at Limerick station, on the Schuylkill river, met with a shocking accident on Friday last. While carrying iron the red-hot metal ran through the ladle, falling on one of his feet, burning off the skin and flesh and injuring him in a most painful manner.

The boiler of a steam saw mill, at Wallaceton, Clearfield county, exploded the other day, instantly killing Mr. Elijah Smeal, the owner, and Thomas Ross, the fireman, both of whom were torn into jagged, horrible fragments. Another man at work in the mill was seriously injured. Pieces of the victims were picked up a hundred yards and more from the mill.

On Saturday, March 27th, while "breaking a landing" on Trout Run, near Benezette, Michael O'Brien was almost instantly killed. Mr. O'Brien was near the foot of a huge pile of logs prying a few from the bottom, when suddenly the whole mass gave way, many hundred passing over the body of the deceased. He recently came from Canada. He was about thirty years old and unmarried.

The Altoona *Tribune* says: On Saturday afternoon last, an old man, named Patrick Hughes, attempted to pass under a car standing upon the track in the yard at this place. While he was between the rails the train moved, and it is supposed that he was caught by the break bars, or truck of the car and rolled over the ties, receiving injuries about the shoulders and body, from the effect of which he died on Saturday night.

Another fatal accident occurred at Irvineton last Friday. An engineer, from Erie on a special train, jumped on the engine of the regular freight as it was leaving. As he came up with his own engine he jumped off, but in so doing slipped or stumbled and fell right across the track back of his own engine, which his fireman was just then backing up. The engine passed over him, killing him instantly. We did not learn his name.—*Warren Mail.*

A distressing accident occurred in Liverpool, York county, on Friday last. Two children, aged five and seven respectively, of Daniel Quickel, of that village, were playing in a hog pen, when one of them struck a match and set fire to a quantity of straw which was in the pen. The eldest escaped, but in passing out, the sliding door, which worked up and down, closed, and prevented the younger from following. The father repaired to the spot, but too late to save the life of the little sufferer. In endeavoring to rescue his child from the flames the parent was severely burned.

We learn that a crime of the most malignant type was committed in Fayetteville, on Saturday night last. Some villain or villains entered the Union church, in that place, and completely demolished the chandeliers and lamps. They succeeded in tearing them from their fastenings, dashed them to the floor, and from the appearance of several burners, actually trampled upon them. The Bible, a very large and costly edition, but lately placed on the pulpit, was thrown down and trampled. The oil from the broken lamps was strewn over the floor.—*Franklin Repository.*

On last Saturday, the 10th inst., Mr. Wm. Rambo, who lives about two miles below the mouth of Raccoon creek, discovered a box floating down the Ohio river. He procured a skiff, rowed out into the stream, and securing the box, returned to shore. On opening the box, he was not a little surprised that it contained the body of an infant male child. The child's head was mashed, and showed other marks of violence upon its person, but where it came from, or who the guilty parents are, will in all probability remain unknown. The body, when found, was wrapped in a checkered gingham apron, and several circumstances went to show that the physician who attended upon the mother had more or less to do with taking the life of the child and depositing it in a watery grave.—*Beaver Argus.*

The Bedford *Inquirer* has an account of the horrible murder of Dash McCauslin, who killed a farmer's turkey, whereupon the farmer stabbed him in the throat. McCauslin ran, the farmer caught him, tied a rope around his neck and dragged him some distance, hung him to a post and deliberately began to skin him while yet alive, when the rope broke and a tardy humanity suggested a finishing stroke on the skull, after which the farmer cut out his victim's heart and cut it in pieces. In spite of the ingenuity of the concoctor of this story, it is evident that Dash McCauslin was a dog, and the whole thing seems intended as a burlesque on the glaring reports of sensational murders. Yet if any man really did such inhumanly cruel deeds as those above recorded, even to a dog, he deserves hanging, if any one does, and we hope the *Inquirer* will see that he shall at least receive such punishment as the law provides.

Edge Hill Furnace.—The work of building this immense structure is now being pushed forward rapidly. The engine house is completed and contains an engine of 850 horse power. One stack, 16 feet at the base and 110 feet in height, is also finished. Another, of 120 feet in height, is partly done. The building to be used for lifting is up to the height of 40 feet. A portion of the walls of the moulding house is also up. The foundation for the boilers is ready, and the machinery in part is being delivered. The main feature is the furnace, which it will be remembered fell in last fall. The foundation is 17 feet and the walls are now up to the height of 30 feet. When finished it will be 75 feet from the surface. A portable engine is used to hoist the material in putting up the walls, which greatly facilitates the work. The works cover an area of perhaps nearly an acre of ground, and when completed will be the largest in the State. The ore is found near the surface in large quantities in this section, of the best quality, and yields in some instances 90 per cent. The supply seems inexhaustible, and the Company can procure it all around them. —*Norristown Defender.*

Spring Fashions.

[From the New York Ledger.]

There is a pleasing prospect, this spring, that all the New York doctors will be able to ride in their carriages. I came to this secular conclusion on Easter Sunday, as "piety," newly feathered, alighted upon the pavement after service. The superfluous yards of silk it were, in bunches, puffs, quiltings, and bows, piled on *double* skirts, and the double skirts in turn piled over the artificial camel's hump behind, not to mention the under skirts, rendered each lady indeed a *weighty* character in society. Alas for their poor spines!—none of the strongest, at best—*tottering* were their owners—for it could not be called walking—leaning painfully on the arm of some male relative, doomed to bear them about for the inspection of a curious public, some of them actually pallid, in the attempt to walk on the absurd little pegs of heels, which strained every muscle, and threw every bone out of shape.

Talk of the "laboring poor"—they are not a circumstance to the "laboring rich;" the "laboring poor" have something to show for their toil besides bunions, and bent spines, and knotted brows; but these poor fashion-ridden wretches, who toil and *spin* so remorselessly, do not even win the admiring glances they seek. Men, indeed, may flatter and compliment them—as, I am sorry to say, even the most sensible men do—to their faces; but behind their backs, the alphabet is powerless to express their contempt and disgust. I have heard them privately, even doubt "the virtue" of women so weakly and criminally wedded to such health-and-beauty-destroying customs.

To be sure, there are two classes who gain by it—the male and female makers and venders of such fashions, and the doctors, who, if this state of things continues, will, as I said, all become millionaires. As for such women having the presumption to become mothers, it would be laughable, were it not so dreadful. Three or four years only of misery, at most, let us be thankful the little creatures have to endure, from neglect of everything but their sacred little gay clothes.

"Children going out of fashion?" Let us be thankful if it is so, and if they are to have mothers like those of whom I have been speaking. "Mothers!" how dare they so profane this name? It was only yesterday I stopped in the street to soothe a little atom, sobbing in her lace and satin, from a slapping just received from her nurse, for getting a spot on her little dress in the dirty streets of New York, through which she was going. "You shall have nothing to eat, you shall be put to bed without any supper," screamed the nurse, as the little one's tears fell fast. "You are a bad little thing, to soil your pretty new dress."

You should have seen the swollen eyes and forlorn little face looking up at the coarse girl who was twitching her about. And all that misery for a spot on the gay clothes, put on to feed the vanity of some foolish mother, who had sent out the baby, for it could but just walk, to enjoy the fresh air, with the perpetual nightmare of "dress" fettering and cramping every free and proper and natural movement. I could but kiss the strange little one, and try to stop the nurse's threats of "no supper."

Very likely I made matters worse by caressing it, but it wasn't nature to "pass by on the other side," at least not in my nature, to which any sort of injustice is like a red rag to a mad bull.

Dress—dress—dress! When will women learn that *simplicity* is beauty? When will they learn that a profusion of ornamentation is ugliness? When will they learn to put health and intelligence before fine clothes? And when will sensible men learn to to be ashamed of perpetuating these evils by flattering the very women whom they ridicule remorselessly behind their backs?

Fanny Fern.

A Tragedy in Maryland.

The quiet village of Jarrettsville, Hartford county, Marland, was thrown into a state of the utmost excitement and confusion by a tragedy which occurred within its bounds on Saturday evening last about six o'clock Nicholas McComas, a young man living about two miles from the village, was shot, and almost instantly killed, by Miss Martha J. Cairns, who resides at the same distance from Jarrettsville, but in a different direction from it than the house of McComas. The accounts given of the melancholy affair render it certain that McComas seduced Miss Cairns over a year ago, under promise of marriage, and in January last a child was born, which is living at the present time. Miss Cairns frequently importuned McComas to fulfill his promise of marrying her, but by equivocations and excuses he evaded her requests until she felt toward him no other feeling than utter hatred and determination to avenge her injuries. On Saturday evening he had ridden into Jarrettsville for the purpose of attending a meeting of a militia company, of which he was a member, and at the time of the murder was in the yard at the rear of the tavern. Miss Cairns followed him to Jarrettsville, and arriving at the tavern dismounted from her horse, fastened him securely, and passing into the ladies' apartment, removed her riding skirt, her hat and other incumbrance that might retard her movements. Leaving the ladies' apartment with a Colt's revolver in her hand, she walked directly through the bar-room, which was full of men, and stepped out upon a back porch, which overlooked the yard where McComas was. Standing in the doorway opening from the bar on the porch, she took deliberate aim with her pistol at McComas and fired, he being ten paces distant from her. The bullet struck him in the breast, and as he reeled wildly towards the pillars which held up the porch, she fired two more shots, neither of which took effect. He clasped the pillars of the porch, and endeavored to sustain himself by them, but weak from the rapid flow of blood from the wound, his strength failed him and he fell to the ground. She walked directly up to him, and, standing over him, fired the two last shots from her revolver into his body, one lodging in his right leg, and the other in his groin. Still carrying her revolver in her hand, she passed through the crowd of men, who, as if stricken senseless by the awful scene being enacted before their eyes, did not move a finger to bar her passage. Along the porch, through the bar-room, and back to the ladies' apartment she walked without showing a trace of emotion or a qualm of nervousness.

In the dressing room she resumed her riding habit, and again mounting her horse, she galloped back to her home, and had gone a considerable distance from the village before any one thought of following her. Mr. Jarrett rode after her, and joining her about a mile from Jarrettsville, she asked him if McComas was dead. He replied "Yes," when she said, "I told him what I was going to do." She exhibited no signs of regret, and was apparently as composed as if she had just finished the most ordinary action.

On Sunday she rode to Beliair and gave herself up to the authorities. Miss Cairns is about thirty, and McComas was thirty-seven years of age. Both the parties belonged to highly respectable families, and held a foremost position in the social life of the county. The feeling of excitement in regard to this act of summary retribution runs very high in the neighborhood, but public opinion is generally on the side of Miss Cairns.

McComas is supposed to have been killed by the first shot which struck him, and the last two shots were probably fired into his dead body.

Some time since Miss Cairns brought suit against McComas for breach of promise and seduction, but the case has not yet come to trial.—*Baltimore Gazette.*

The Freedmen's Bureau.—The failure of the Freedmen's Bureau bill has led the Secretary of War and General Howard to an examination of the laws bearing on the continuance of that bureau. They have decided on careful consideration that the scope of these laws is such as to continue the claims and educational branches, contrary to the opinion generally held, till Congress directly orders their suspension. It has been determined, however, in obedience to the prevalent desire, to reduce expenses to the lowest available figure, and after the first of May there will be but three officials in each State, viz: One detailed officer to attend to the payment of claims and settlement of bounties, and one Superintendent of Education, with a single clerk, and even those officials will be discharged just as soon as possible.

Wheat Prospects.—We are in receipt of reports relative to crop prospects from reliable correspondents, over an extent of country from Minnesota to Delaware, and from Virginia to Texas. They are pretty unanimous in assuring us that the Winter wheat is not only safe, but in a good thrifty condition, and at this late day we may consider it safe beyond any ordinary danger. It is noteworthy that the usual ordinary ominous reports of extensive Winter killing do not as usual reach us this season, and from this fact alone we might be led to anticipate a prosperous and healthy condition of the growing wheat crop.—*Chicago Journal, April 8th.*

Death of Isaiah Rogers.—The distinguished architect, Isaiah Rogers, died in Cincinnati on the 13th of heart disease. Mr. Rogers was a native of Massachusetts, and was born on the 17th of August, 1800. He was the architect of the Tremont House, Boston, the Astor House, New York, the Burnet House, Cincinnati, the Overton House, Nashville, the Carthage Asylum, and many other public buildings of the first class. He was professionally well known throughout the United States and had a very large circle of devoted personal friends.

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Markets by Telegraph.

NEW YORK, April 15.—Cotton a shade easier; 2,000 bales at 28¼c for middling uplands. Flour—receipts, 3,897 bbls—dull and heavy, and 5@10c lower; 5,700 bbls at $5,35@5,90 for super State western; $5,95@6,40 for extra State; $5,95@6,85 for extra western; $6,90@8,10 for white wheat extra; $6,05@7,25 for round hoop Ohio; $7,00@8,50 for extra St. Louis; $9,00@12,00 for good choice do., closing heavy. Rye flour heavy, 350 bbls at $5,00@6,75. Corn meal quiet. Whisky nominal, 91@92c for western free. Wheat—receipts, 18,042 bushels—without decided change, with limited exports and milling demand; sales of 37,000 bushels; $1,35 for No 3. spring; $1,40@1,41 for No. 2 do. in store, outside price for short time; $1,65@1,68 for white California; $1,92½ for white Canada. Rye in moderate request; sales of 8,000 bushels; $1,35 for western; $1,40 for State. Barley dull and drooping; sales of 5,000 bushels Canada western on private terms. Barley malt heavy. Receipts Corn, 16,378. Corn heavy, 1c lower; sales of 42,000 bushels at 84½@86½ for new western mixed; 85@87½ for old do in store and delivered. Receipts Oats 25,786. Oats moderate, request 43,000 in store, inside price to-day; check to-day; 78@78½ do afloat, 79 State afloat. Rice dull at 8¾@9¼. Carolina Coffee better at $34,00. Rio, private terms $23,04. Bags Maricabo export private terms. Sugar steady and quiet; sales of 222 hhds at 11¾@12½. Molasses quiet, sales of 34 tierces Cuba Muscovado at 48. Petroleum quiet at 16¾. Crude 31½@32. Refined bonded Hops quiet at 6@15. American Linseed oil firm at $1,02@1,03. Pork in moderate demand. Sales of 1400 bbls at $31,12@31,25 for new mess; chiefly $31,12½; cash $30,75@31; Old do, $26@26,50; prime $28,50@29 for prime mess. Beef dull; 115 bbls at $8@16 for new plain mess, and $12@18 for new extra mess. Tierce Beef dull at $23@28; sales of 80 tcs; premium mess at $25@30; Beef Hams steady; 235 bbls at 26@32c. Cut meats quiet; 140 pkgs at 12¾@13c for shoulders, and 16@17c for hams. Middles quiet and steady; 50 bxs long cut hams on private terms. Lard firmer; 800 tcs at 18@18¾c, chiefly 18¾c for steam, and 19¼c for kettle rendered. Butter quiet at 30@38c for State. Cheese firm at 18@22c for common to prime. Freights to Liverpool are nominally unchanged. Spirits Turpentine quiet and firm at 49½@50c.

Latest—Flour dull, declining. Wheat dull nominally and unchanged. Rye, quiet. $1,35 for Western. Oats dull, 77@½ for Western in store. Corn, fair, supply heavy 85@86 for new varied Western; 85@87 for old mixed Western in store and afloat. Pork quiet, 37¼, regular; for new Mess Beef, quiet and steady. Bacon and cut Meats dull, and unchanged Lard quiet, 18⅛@18¾ for fair to prime eastern. Eggs steady 20@22.

CINCINNATI, April 15.—Flour is quiet and unchanged. Wheat is in fair demand and the market is firmer; No. 2 red winter brought $1,38. Corn is scarce and in good demand at 60c@65c for ear, closing at 67c. Oats, 66@70c, the latter rate being paid for choice white. Rye is firm at $1,41@1,42. Barley is unchanged. Cotton is dull and lower; middling, 27½c. Tobacco is firm; sales 85 hhds at $18,50. Whisky is firm at 90c; the demand being light. Their was a firmer feeling in provisions with an improved demand for Mess Pork, which sold to a considerable extent at $30,50 for city and $30 for country; there was not much offered at these rates at the close; a considerable amount of Mess Pork was sold during the last two days to go to New York, chiefly country. Bulk meats are firm but quiet; shoulders 12c; sides 14½c. Bacon in better demand; sales shoulders at 13c, sides at 16¼@16¾c for clear rib. Sugar Cured Hams firmer at 18@19c. Lard firmer and held at 18⅛@18¼; sales at 18 for city and 17¾ for country. Butter lower and dull, with sales fresh at 35@40c. Eggs dull at 17@18. Clover Seed steady at $15,25@15,50. Timothy Seed scarce and in demand at $3,40@3,50. Potatoes in moderate demand at 50@60c per bus on arrival. Linseed Oil at $1,05@1,06. Lard Oil at $1,45@1,50. Petroleum at 33@35. Sugar steady but demand light. Coffee steady at 20@26c. New Orleans Molasses at 80@85. Gold dull at 132¼, buying. Exchange steady at par to 50 premium, buying. Money market closed unchanged.

CHICAGO, April 15.—Eastern exchange dull at par buying to 1-10 premium selling. Flour dull and weak at $5,00@7,00 for spring extra. Wheat dull, 1¼@1½c lower; sales at $1,15½ for No. 1, and $1,03@1,06 for No. 2; do closing at $1,03@1,03¼. Corn dull and weak at opening prices; sales at 47½c for new, which subsequently became firmer and advanced to 48@48¼c, sales of no grade kiln dried at 50½c. Oats dull, ¼@½c lower; sales at 51½@53¾c, and closing at 51c for regular receipts of No. 2. Rye dull and nominal, 2c lower; closing at $1,16@1,17 for fresh receipts of No. 1. Barley inactive; closing dull with sales at $1,70@1,75 for regular receipts. High wines quiet and firm at 87c. Molasses—sales of New Orleans at $1,00@1,05½. Sugar—sales at 14@15½c for common to choice. Mess pork quiet and steady at $30,50@30,75; closing at $30,50. Lard firmer and quiet at 17@18c. Sweet pickled hams, 16c; dry salted shoulders nominal at 11½c. Receipts past twenty-four hours: 8,695 bbls flour, 10,678 bus wheat, 47,590 bus corn, 6,500 bus oats, 766 bus rye, 800 bus barley, and 8,027 hogs. Shipments: 10,481 bbls flour, 8,656 bus wheat, 25,995 bus corn, 7,614 bus oats, 2,823 bus rye, 750 bus barley, and 6,114 hogs.

ST. LOUIS, April 15.—Flour is steady and unchanged. Cotton is dull and unchanged. Hemp is in demand at $1,40@1,50 for prime undressed. Flour is quiet and unchanged, with sales of superfine at $4@5,25, treble extra at $4,75@5,75, and double extra at $5,50@7. Wheat; choice fall brought full prices, but the other grades are a little lower, with sales prime to choice red at $1,45@1,70; strictly choice to fancy, $1,80@1,95; spring opened at $1,10@1,12½ for No. 2, but closed lower at $1,07@1,08. Corn is heavy and drooping, at 62@66c for mixed to choice white, and 67c for fancy. Oats heavy at 61@63c for black and white, and 65@65½c for fancy white. Barley; nothing doing. Rye easier at $1,20@1,23. Whiskey is quiet and unchanged. Sugar is unchanged. Molasses is quiet at 85c. Coffee is tolerably firm, at 25¾@36c for choice Rio. Provisions; the feeling is better, and holders refuse all round lots at current prices. Pork is held at $30,50@31. Bulk meats: dry salted shoulders, 12c, and clear sides at 15½c. Bacon is easier, with sales of shoulders at 13½c, rib sides at 15¾c, and clear sides at 16½c. Lard is active and buoyant at 17¼c for steam, and 18¾c for keg; higher prices were asked at the close. Receipts—4,200 barrels flour, 18,000 bushels wheat, 1,800 bushels corn, 8,000 bushels oats, 8,500 bushels barley, 200 bushels rye, and 500 head of hogs.

BUFFALO, April 15.—Flour quiet. Wheat dull; sales two car lots No. 1 Milwaukee club at $1,45; white nominal at $1,65@1,80. Corn quiet; sales twelve car lots new at 75@80c on track, and three car lots do at 75@76c to arrive; old nominal. Oats nominal at 67c in store. Rye nominal at $1,30 in store. Barley quiet and steady; sales ten car lots Canada on private terms; one car lot do at $1,94 bagged. Seeds—Timothy firm; sales 600 bags at $4, and 100 bags at $4,25; also 100 bags at $4,50. Clover and Flax unchanged. Pork dull at $31@31,50. Lard dull at 18¾@19c. Highwines; no demand and held at about 92c.

PHILADELPHIA, April 15.—Flour is firmer and in more demand; sales of 1,200 bbls Northwestern extra family at $6,75@7,25, Ohio do. at $7,25@9,00, and fancy at $10@12. Wheat in fair demand but unchanged. Rye unchanged. Corn in good demand, with sales of mixed western at 86c, white 87c, and yellow at 88@89c. Oats sell freely at 75@76c for western. Petroleum lower; crude nominal at 22c; refined 31c on spot, and 31½c all the month. Groceries unchanged. Provisions steady. Mess Pork $32@32,50. Whisky $5@96.

TOLEDO, April 15.—Flour dull and nominal. Wheat dull; amber $1,43; white Michigan, 1c lower, $1,43; No. 1 white, 2½c better, $1,82½. Corn steady, No. 1 67c; No. 2 a shade better. 68@63½; nor grade, ½c better, 62c. Oats dull and unchanged, 62½c for Michigan. Rye dull and nominally unchanged $1,28@1,30. Barley nominal; Canada $1,95; No. 1 State $1,75. Receipts—1,800 bbls flour, 2,100 bush wheat, 9,100 bush corn, 600 bush oats, 60 bush rye. Shipments—2,300 bbls flour, 4,300 bush wheat, 17,300 bush corn, 3,300 bush oats.

LOUISVILLE, April 15.—Tobacco—sales 155 hhds at $4,50@13,50 for lugs to leaf. Mess Pork at $31,25@31,50. Bacon—shoulders at 13¾, clear rib sides at 16¾@17, and clear sides at 17¼@17½c. Bulk Meats—shoulders at 12¾@13, and clear sides at 16¼. Lard at 17¾@18½. Flour at $5,50@6. Wheat at $1,50@1,55. Corn at 62c. Oats at 65@68c. Hay at $20@21. Sugar unchanged. Whisky at 91c. Cotton at 27c.

MILWAUKEE, April 15.—Flour is dull and weak at $5,25@6 for Wisconsin and Iowa. Wheat irregular at $1,10 for No.1, and $1.04 for No. 2. Oats firmer at 53½c for No. 2. Corn firmer at 56c for new. Rye nominal. Barley firm at $1,65@1,70 for No. 2. Receipts—flour 1,000 bbls; wheat 9,000, oats 1,000 bush. Shipments—flour 3,000 bbls; wheat 1,200 bush.

BALTIMORE, April 15.—Flour fairly active and prices weak Wheat dull; sales prime red at $2,10@2,20. Corn firm; sales white at 86. Oats heavy at 77@80. Rye dull at $1,40@1,50. Mess Pork quiet at $32. Bacon firm; rib sides at 16½c, clear do. at 17¼, and shoulders at 14¼. Lard quiet at 19½. Whisky firm at 92.

CLEVELAND, April 15.—Wheat; No. 1 red winter held at $1,45; No. 2 do. held at $1,32. Corn held at 70@71c. Oats held at 64@65c. Petroleum market quiet; the general asking price is 30@31c for standard white refined, but there is nothing doing; small lots held at 32@33c.

DETROIT, April 15.—Wheat: No. 1 white $1,62@1,63, No. 2 $1,39: No. 1 amber $1,41. Millstuffs—bran $20@20,50; coarse middlings $27; fine do. $27,50@28. Clover Seed advanced to $9,25.

Dry Goods Market.

NEW YORK, April 15.—As a general thing the market is lacking in activity, except specialities, which are offered at low rates. The Allendale 8-4 bleached Muslins now job at 42½c. Henrico plaid Osnaburgs 12½c. Swift River Ticks are reduced from 17c to 16c. Atlantic A Sheetings steady at 16c. The Laurel Dare are held by agents at 16c, but they job at both 15½c and 16c, and the Cabot 42 inch bleached goods job at 18c. The Pequot 1,200 Checks now job as low as 13½c, 1,400 do 15c, 1,600 do 18c, 1,800 do 22½c, 2,000 do 25c, and 2,800 do 27½c.

Live Stock Markets.

CHICAGO, April 15.—*Cattle Market.*—Hogs opened dull, but subsequently became active, at 25@30c lower; sales at $9,25@9,50 for common, and $9,70@10,50 for fair to choice. Cattle more active and firmer at $5,50@5,80 for butchers, $6.00@5,75 for fair to medium, and $7,00@7,87½ for good to choice shipping beeves.

ST. LOUIS, April 15—*Cattle Market*—Cattle are unchanged, with a better demand for good to prime qualities. Hogs range at $8,50@10,25 for good to extra.

IMPORTS BY RAILROAD.

PITTSBURGH, FORT WAYNE & CHICAGO RAILROAD, April 15.—12 cars metal, Nimick & Co; 5 do do, Coleman, Rahm & Co; 4 do do, M'Knight, Porter & Co; 3 do do, Union Iron Mills; 1 do do Brown & Co; 3 do do, Harbaugh & Co; 3 do do, J Wood, Son & Co; 2 do mill feed Shomaker & Langenheim; 3 do rye, Culp & Shepard; 400 bbls flour, Watt, Lang & Co; 300 do do, owners; 100 do do W H M'Clure; 1 car middlings H Schuelbach; 134 bdls paper, Hostetter & Smith; 40 tcs hams, Myers & Co; 1 car barley, Carson & Co; 2 do staves, M P Adams; 16 bxs butter, N J Braden; 10 do do, W H Kirkpatrick & Co; 10 bbls vinegar, S Ewart & Co; 10 doz washboards, Haslage & Co; 25 do do, W M Gormley; 5 bbls apples, 1 do onions, W H Graff & Co; 1 car staves, W Hastings; 2 rolls leather, Chestnut & Co; 300 sks oats, M'Henry & Hood.

CLEVELAND AND PITTSBURGH RAILROAD, April 15.—2 cars N Y ore, Reese, Graff & Dull; 1 do turnings, Moorhead & Co; 100 bbls lime; Adams & Co; 1 car potatoes, J B Campbell; 1 do do, Bricker & Co; 1 do do, 3 bbls apples, Van Gorder & S; 2 cars potatoes, Woodworth & D; 2 do do, 42 jugs molasses, 8 bbls apples, 4 do eggs, 1 do butter, Voigt, M & Co; 2 cars stone, J L L Knox; 1 do oats, S B Floyd & Co; 100 bbls flour, Schomaker & L; 15 do beer, J Kepler; 20 bxs cheese, J A Graff; 10 jugs molasses, Duff & Son; 16 do do, W H Graff & Co; 2 bbls tallow, Flaccus & Son; 3 do eggs, F G Craighead; 7 do do, 2 do sugar, Atwell & Lee; 3 sks rags, 1 bbl bacon, Haworth & D; 1 bbl eggs, M'Bane & Anjer; 29 do potatoes, H Rea; 2 do eggs, 4 tubs cheese, J Daub.

PITTSBURGH CINCINNATI AND ST. LOUIS RAILROAD, April 15.—10 hhds bacon, J H Parker; 2 tcs sausage, W B Hays & Son; 1 hhd tobacco, A Shaub; 2 cars staves, 1 car lumber, M P Adams; 50 bbls high wines, W Miller & Co; 25 do do, McKee & Bro; 1 bbl eggs, Voigt, Mahood & Co; 3 do do, J A Graff; 1 do do, H Rea Jr; 3 do do, 1 keg butter, J Arp: 27 sks g tan bark, Kennedy, Childs & Co; 5 bbls apples, F G Craighead: 2 tcs hams, G F Gormly; 4 hhds shoulders, W H Wilson; 75 bdls brooms, McElroy & Co; 12 sks barley, Frannihelm & M; 100 bbls flour, Schomaker & L; 100 do do, J B Dough; 1 car corn, Bricker & Co; 1 do staves, J Painter & Son; 1 do do, W Hastings; 12 tcs hams, F Sellers & Co; 15 do do, J Lippencott.

ALLEGHENY VALLEY RAILROAD, April 15.—90 sks corn, 20 do rye, Blaney & Moore; 1 car lime, D L Reynolds; 1 car grain, Keil & Ritchart; 2 bbls eggs, E Heazleton; 2 cars metal, McKnight, P & Co; 4 do limestone, Shoenberger, Blair & Co; 1 bbl whisky, McCullough, Smith & Co; 1 car metal, H Woodsides; 14 bbls leather, Fogle & Heck; 3 do do, D Chestnut & Co; 2 cars metal, John Moorhead; 5 sks rags, Godfrey & Clark; 1 bbl eggs, Head & Metzgar; 4 cars railroad iron, Hannibal & Naples RR Co; 400 bbls oil, Fisher & Bro; 320 do do, Waring, King & Co; 27 do do, Pennock & Brown.

ALLEGHENY STATION, April 15.—11 sks rags, J M Patterson; 4 cars metal, Spang, Chalfant & Co; 2 do ore, Richey. H & Co; 173 bgs oats, 16 do rye, R Knox & Son; 1 car wheat, M'Kee & Co; 3 cars staves, Ralya & Robertson; 1 do mill feed, Voegtly & Kopp; 1 do do, Heck & Schwible; 38 bales hay, Rose & Ewing; 20 jugs maple molasses, W K Nimick; 20 do do, A Nimick; 10 do do, J M'Briar 20 do do, J Frazier.

RIVER NEWS.

The weather yesterday was clear and pleasant, and all that could possibly be desired for out-door operations.

The river is again receding with six feet six inches in the channel by the Monongahela marks.

Business continues moderately active at the landing, and the offerings of freight, considering the immense shipments that have already been made, keep up remarkably well; and notwithstanding the extreme low prices, we occasionally hear of a boat having made some money. We doubt, after all, that steamboating is much worse than many other departments of business, as our merchants and manufacturers, generally, are complaining bitterly of hard times.

Capt. W. J. Kountz is expected home from St. Louis to-day, and it is said, he will at once contract for a hull for the machinery of the defunct Carrie V. Kountz.

The Silver Bow, en-route from St. Louis to Fort Benton, when near St. Joseph, broke one of her cylinders. She will be obliged to lay by at St. Joseph about a week for repairs.

The towboat Bengal Tiger has been sold to Messrs. Stewart & Groves, of Lyons, Iowa, and will be engaged hereafter in towing grain on the Upper Mississippi.

The Sallie, Silver Lake and Mollie Ebert, are all at St. Louis waiting for a Benton trip.

The Alaski, Capt. F. J. Oakes, will positively take her departure for New Orleans to-day. She will take freight and passengers for all intermediate points.

The Camelia cleared for Nashville with a good trip, and engagements sufficient below to fill out, including 2,000 kegs nails at Wheeling. Pilots—James Henderson and Alf Moore.

The Armadillo departed for St. Louis with an excellent trip including quite a number of passengers. Pilots—Tom Potts and Schnel Fawcett.

The Kenton arrived from Portsmouth on time and will depart to-day, as usual, at 4 P. M.

The Wauanita, Capt, C. A. Dravo, with G. L. Reppart in the office, will depart for St. Louis on Saturday without fail, and passengers and shippers should bear this in mind.

The high-headed Alaski, Capt. F. J. Oakes, is announced for New Orleans, forthwith. She is the largest sternwheel boat of the present time, and it is to be hoped that she will get a good trip.

☞The Glendale, St. Louis to Pittsburgh, passed by Cincinnati on Tuesday.

—The Minneapolis left Cincinnati for St. Louis on Tuesday, with 500 tons freight and 80 cabin passengers. Pilots—Dory Dunn and James Madison.

—Captains John W. Carroll and J. P. Fitzgerald, late of the Atlantic and Mississippi Steamship Co., have taken charge of Barnum's Hotel at St. Louis.

—The Silver Spray, in attempting to ascend the Kentucky chute of the falls Sunday, got aground and remained four hours, but succeeded in getting off without inquiry.

—A few days ago the steamer Cumberland, making a landing just opposite Mount Vernon, was caught in a strong current and carried some fifteen or twenty feet beyond the bank into a field. At this critical moment some part of her machinery became disordered, which for a short time threatened serious trouble but for the promp action of the officers on watch.

—A dispatch received at Cincinnati, on Tuesday, from Captain Frazier, at the wreck of the G. A. Thompson, states that the "boat burned to the water's edge. The boilers and machinery, and some of the cargo, may be saved if the river continues to fall. It is impossible to estimate the value of the cargo, as books and papers were totally lost. Wreck lies in twelve feet water."

—The Vicksburg *Herald* of Saturday says: We made a statement last week that the Wild Wagoner, a very fast craft, was reported to have passed the Pargoud under way. We have since learned that the Wagoner has done nothing of the kind; that the Pargoud transacted her business without noticing her at all, making the young Miss get out of the way when she came along.

—The snag-boat J. J. Abert left Mound City for Cairo to complete her repairs, on Wednesday. As soon as in readinesss she will go up the Missouri River, where she will operate during the summer. Alterations have been made in her machinery with the view of making her much more efficient than formerly. The saws are now so placed that the time consumed in sawing up a snag will be far less than before.

—On Tuesday morning, 6th inst., when the New Orleans and Red River steamer Selma was at Dixie Bar, ten miles below Coushata Chute, fire was discovered among the cotton on her starboard guard. The fire had gained considerable headway (owing to its being well covered with tarpaulins) before discovered. Fifty bales were thrown overboard and all but two recovered in, of course, a damaged condition. Captain Scovill attributes the safety of the boat to the fact of the cotton being put up with iron ties. The fire is supposed to have originated from sparks from the furnace. The boat sustained no damage.

Rivers and Weather.

LOUISVILLE, April 15.—River rising slowly, with 9 feet 8 inches water in canal. Weather clear and pleasant.

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County, State, Poor, Workhouse and Improvement Taxes for 1869.

On and after the 1st day of May, 18 9. Said taxes can be paid at this Office until the 1st day of August with a DEDUCTION OF FIVE PER CENT. for prompt payment to all persons paying the whole amount of their taxes.

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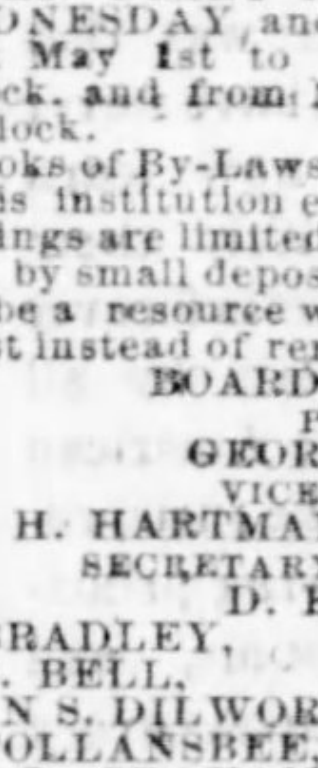

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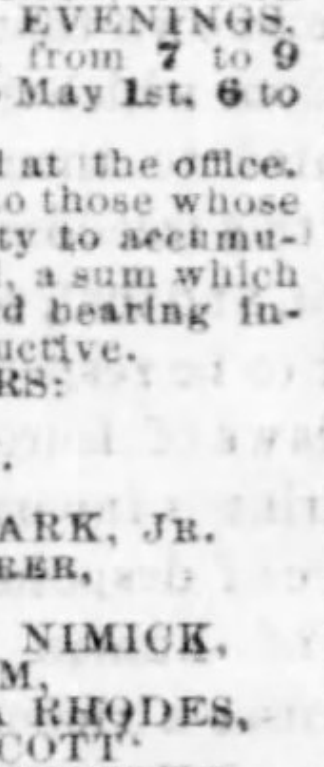

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WE PRINT *on the inside pages of this morning's* GAZETTE — *Second page: Poetry, Violet Time, Pennsylvania Items, Interesting Miscellany. Third and Sixth pages: Financial, Commercial, Markets, Imports, River News. Seventh page: Additional Local News, Washington Items, Amusements.*

PETROLEUM at Antwerp, 53@53½f.

GOLD closed in New York yesterday at 132⅜@132½.

THE Legislature of Pennsylvania adjourns to-day. All pending legislation of importance seems to have been completed.

THE new Spanish constitution establishes Roman Catholicism as the religion of the State, but recognizes the absolute freedom of all other creeds.

A TYPOGRAPHICAL error in yesterday's GAZETTE was so palpable as scarcely to need this correction. Hon. RUSSELL ERRETT takes the Assessorship, and *not* the Collectorship of the XXIId District.

THE Senate defers the ratification of the Darien Canal treaty until next winter. Senators at present find difficulty in discovering in its provisions the large advantages which have been claimed for us, by the friends of Messrs. SEWARD and CUSHING.

THE name of JOHN A. MYLER, Esq., of Allegheny, has been sent into the Senate by the President for Postmaster of that city. Mr. M. is an active Republican, a good citizen and a gentleman of large business experience and capacity. The appointment will afford the liveliest satisfaction in this neighborhood as few are more esteemed and respected by their fellow citizens than Mr. MYLER.

AT THE session which has just ended, the Federal judicial system was remodeled by Congress in several particulars. Another justice is to be added to the Supreme bench, and the new office of Circuit Judge was created for each of the new Circuits, into which the Republic has been divided. Other changes are specified in another place on this journal. Of these ten new judges, none are yet nominated to the Senate. The places will not be filled until next winter.

RHODE ISLAND will discard and disown the Senator who has recently libelled her best citizens, and dishonored the State which has unworthily honored him. Mr. SPRAGUE can retain his seat in the Senate, if he chooses, until his legal term expires, but he has forever forfeited the regard of his constituents, and the respect of the just-minded everywhere. He is said to be very rich, and Rhode Island is known to be a very small State, but he finds out decisively that he is not rich enough to buy her, small as she is. Most of his old supporters, and all of her good people, have abandoned him altogether.

SENATOR SUMNER's argument against the Alabama treaty was based upon the following points:

1. That the treaty substantially omits the question of England's right to recognize the Confederacy, a right that did not exist, and which she ought to admit she could not claim.
2. That the treaty involves other claims than the Alabama claims, and prepares for an offset of them by counter claims.
3. That England ought to admit the damages and propose a treaty to estimate them by a Claim Commission.

It is but just to that Senator, to state that he consistently opposes that premature recognition of the Cuban insurgents, which is so inconsiderately urged by most of our Anglo-phobists.

WE HAVE the first number of *New Louisiana*, a quarto journal issued by the Louisiana "Board of Commissioners of Emigration," and filled with information of the greatest value to intending immigrants. Only yesterday, we gave some account of the great and wonderful change in Southern sentiment toward Northern emigrants. The journal before us completely fortifies the statements we have made. Indeed, it is evident that the entire South has awakened to the importance of securing the largest possible accessions of population and means from abroad, and that the suicidal frenzy of former efforts to exclude emigration is abandoned, and we believe forever. In every Southern State except Texas, and to some extent even there, an organized movement is now in progress to invite the largest immigration from the Northern States and from Europe. In several of those States, Commissions have been established by public authority, funds liberally appropriated, agents employed and a series of publications commenced, to promote the desirable end. And politicians everywhere admit that there could be no better form of reconstruction.

THE MEETING TO-DAY.

There should be a very full meeting at the Mayor's office to-day, of those citizens who have one of the leading interest of the city at their hearts. One hundred millions of capital are invested in this region in the coal business, and thousands of our people look to that business for daily employment. This leading department of our industry, with many others of but little less public consequence, is directly assailed by the selfish policy of a neighboring corporation, which is about to barricade against us our lawful highway to distant markets. Is not the matter worth the public time and attention? It is to be considered by to-day's meeting, and every man who knows his own public duty will be there, to take part in the proceedings.

OUR NORTHERN SWAMPS.

It has been ascertained that the large tracts of swamp-land, in Crawford county, which are known as the Conneaut and Pymatuning marshes, contain respectively, six and nine thousand acres of area, all of which may be subdued, for the most valuable uses of cultivation, with a moderate expense for drainage. A partial examination of their topography has been made by Surveyor General CAMPBELL, under the terms of a resolution of the last Legislature. He reports that the Conneaut marsh may be drained at an expenditure of not over $45,000, or at an average cost of say $9 per acre, and the Pymatuning at a cost of $36,000, or not over $4 per acre.

It is apparent that the Commonwealth is not called upon to engage in the work of draining and subduing these fens at public expense. There is considerable force in the Surveyor General's suggestion, that a comprehensive and systematic survey should be undertaken, in the public behalf, of the topography of all that remarkable district which includes the "divide," on the crest of the two watersheds which send their flow to the Lakes on one side and to the Ohio Valley on the other. The peculiar feature of this dividing ridge is that it is no ridge, at all palpable to the unscientific eye, but rather a high plateau, of great but varying width, and so nearly level that its waters appear to be everywhere stagnant,—except at the extreme brink where they appear to assume sluggishly their doubtful course of escape. There must be one hundred thousand acres, or more, of this fen-district within the limits of the State along that water-shed, and its proper drainage undoubtedly presents a question of such great importance as to justify the interposition of the State authorities, not for the purpose of undertaking the work of drainage itself, but of supplying to the resident population the needful scientific data, to guide private operations in the direction of an uniform and practical system. Properly surveyed by a topographical corps, the levels and distances regularly connected, the courses of the streams, as well as the relations of the fenny district thereto, being accurately mapped, or at least with some degree of general precision, a system could be deduced, for the guidance of private enterprise, which would aid very largely in promoting the early and complete subjugation of a vast area of most valuable territory, adding within ten years from one to five millions of dollars to the productive land-capital of Northwestern Pennsylvania. No private enterprise is likely to undertake these surveys, or to complete them with the precision and systematic scope which the public interests really require. That is a work which very justly may be reckoned among the proper responsibilities of government to the governed.

Beyond that, there remains nothing to call for the public intervention. Private capital and enterprise are quite capable of improving all the possibilities of the local situation. Indeed, it is probable that speculation will not always await such scientific and general investigations as we now suggest. Large tracts of fen, where the question of subjugation does not present too many palpable difficulties, will be taken in hand by individuals, as soon as the pecuniary inducements may seem to justify the outlay of their capital. For example, these two marshes, of which we have first spoken, present a promising field for money and skill. The Surveyor General estimates the cost of reclaiming the five thousand acres of Conneaut at $9,00 per acre, and that $4,00 per acre will convert the nine thousand acres of Pymatuning marsh into meadows and arable fields. Once subdued, each acre of these fourteen thousand, equal in the total to a body of land nearly five miles square, would be worth an average of any three other acres in Crawford county, for all the other purposes of agriculture. It is evident that, with a considerable increase in the cost, as estimated by the Surveyor General, this speculation is a seductive one for private enterprise.

The writer of this, years ago, enjoyed many a day of sport with rifle and hounds in the great Copley swamp, a tract of some six thousand acres not far from Akron, Ohio. Dotted with small lakelets, overgrown with the cranberry and with thickets of the swamp alder, with numberless glades in which the wild grass waved, as the foot sank, far above the head of the hunter, and, here and there, the points of solid ground, rising out of the boggy level, covered with groves of magnificent pines, the only exceptions to the deciduous forest-growths of that section of Ohio, the great swamp was regarded as irreclaimable for agricultural use, and so remained, the game-preserve of all the country around. But one day came a keen speculator, with his surveying instruments. He worked quietly, but to his purpose. His levels were taken, courses and distances run out, the valueless swamp changed ownership, and within a few years, and at a comparatively trifling cost, thousands of acres of inexhaustibly fertile land rewarded his sagacity, nerve and capital.

The great marshes of the Crawford county water-shed will be reclaimed in the same way, and with equal profit to the individuals or companies who may undertake the work. This will be done, as soon as the speculation shall justify them in undertaking it. If the State shall contribute to the settlement of the requisite scientific data, individual enterprise will need nothing more, to enlist it in a work which will give rich returns to capital, and a vast addition to the material wealth of that section of Pennsylvania.

ONE FREEDOM THROUGHOUT CHRISTENDOM.

With one exception, all the leading European powers, with many of the inferior governments, have recognized and adopted the American view of the citizen's right of expatriation. It is only in France that the old feudal doctrine of "once a vassal, always a subject" is today maintained by State-policy. Commencing among the lesser German potentates, the new expression of the personal rights of man has been successively recognized by Austria and Prussia and the Northern Powers, and, last, came Great Britain to surrender a principle which she has maintained in all the centuries. With the single exception named, the European who migrates to the Great Republic is forevermore sanctioned, under the laws of his birth-place, in putting off the nationality of his origin, and in putting on, with its obligations, every privilege, at home or abroad, of American citizenship.

The treaty, which incorporates this American principle with the international law of the United States and Great Britain, was ratified by our Senate, a day or two since. The American press have been so intensely engrossed by the temporary interest involved in the question of the Alabama claims, as to pay but little heed to this very important matter of the right of expatriation. But, now that the former topic has been removed from current discussions, we shall look for a general and just recognition, of the large progress by which these naturalization-agreements have advanced throughout the world the cosmopolitan vindication of the liberty of man. French feudalism cannot long resist the concurrent sentiment of Christendom, and we are safe to anticipate a very early day when it may be said, of every civilized people on this planet, that the republican liberty of America—a liberty absolute under the law, against all foreign sovereignties and powers—awaits the self-investiture of their expatriated citizens. Touching their feet upon our coasts, invoking the shield of our laws and the future protection of the American flag, the entire Christian world may surrender its hundreds of millions of people to the posession of this liberty, for themselves and for their children in all the coming generations.

It is not merely that the treaty-recognition of this right of expatriation promotes the personal security of the immigrant temporarily revisiting his native land. We gain vastly more than that. The traditional policy of a thousand years has been blotted out from European law; the American doctrine of personal liberty is now sanctioned in their jurisprudence, and must become familiar as a household word to all those populations. They have known that our freedom was that freedom which their own laws have never granted to them; they will now learn that this freedom is as ever within their reach, and that, once acquired, it is forever after to be respected as inviolate by all the laws of Europe. Thus the American doctrine is incorporated into the jurisprudence of despotism, and its living principle of human progress blooms, and promises a richer maturity, upon every plane of European society.

NEW PUBLICATIONS.

THE RING AND THE BOOK. By Robert Browning, M. A., Honorary Fellow of Balliol College, Oxford. In two volumes. Vol. II. Published by Fields, Osgood & Co., Boston. For sale by R. S. Davis & Co., 193 Liberty street, Pittsburgh.

This is a remarkable poem in many respects. It is one, too, of singular breadth of thought, and is unique throughout. It contains passages fearfully grand. A poem of such length is likely to have defects and be objectionable to critical minds, but it should not be condemned, because it may have some blemishes. However scant the thread on which the story is constructed, the poem well illustrates human passion, with vividness and wonderful fidelity. Losing sight of its alleged defects, the poem gives evidence of the great creative powers and signal ability and genius of the gifted author. The numerous quotations and favorable comments of the press is a significant fact. This volume completes the poem. It opens with Pompiliar's touching statement of the tragic affair which accupied so much space in the first volume, then follow the arguments of the counsel on each side, for and against Guido. The charge of the Pope is next given, pronouncing judgment against Count Guido, who speaks in his own defense, before he is taken to the scaffold, and last of all follows, under the title of "The Book and the Ring," the poet's reflections. Some days since we gave seventy-five lines from this poem, which will enable our readers to judge of its merits.

PHINEAS FINN, the Irish Member. A Novel. By Anthony Trollope. Published by Harper & Brothers, New York.

Trollope has fairly won his way into popular favor, for his faithful protraiture of society and fidelity to nature. His works are not of the sensational cast of some novelists, but remarkable for common-sense. Phineas Finn is a story of English political life, presenting at least phases that will interest as well as instruct the reader. The volume is liberally illustrated, which helps to make it attractive.

THE BLAMELESS PRINCE, and Other Poems. By Edmund Clarence Steadman. Published by Fields, Osgood & Co., Boston. For sale by R. S. Davis & Co., 193 Liberty street, Pittsburgh.

It must be conceded that this volume of poems is far above the average of most of the poetry recently published. Mr. Steadman is a true poet, and is justly awarded a high place among the lyric poets of this country. The leading poem is a story of human passion, somewhat mediaeval in theme. The incident is confined to no age or land, but is such as may and must happen in all. It depicts the conduct of a prince of old, who was regarded in the eyes of his wife as being blameless, while his course of life was one deserving great blame. Notwithstanding the *Blameless Prince* has fallen, the world still pays him homage as one truly blameless. Passages of great beauty abound throughout the poem. The minor poems are many of them dainty bits of versification. They are generally short, and comprise a variety of topics. We gave a specimen in a late issue.

THE HORSE IN THE STABLE AND IN THE FIELD. By "Stonehenge," McClure, and Harvey. Published by Porter & Coates, Philadelphia. For sale by W. A. Gildenfenny, Pittsburgh.

It is rather surprising that, comparatively, so little is known of this noble animal, in view of the various uses for which he is employed. This work is regarded as the best authority on the subject in England. It embodies the Natural History, Physiology, Pathology and General Management of the Horse, suited to the age. The work is practical, and in a style properly intelligible. Drs. McClure and Harvey have edited the work, and carefully revised every page to meet the progressive views of Americans, and have added some valuable papers. It contains invaluable information for those who are interested in this useful animal. It is illustrated with over eighty engravings.

ENGLAND'S ANTIPHON. By George Macdonald, LL. D. Published by J. B. Lippincott & Co., Philadelphia. For sale by R. S. Davis & Co., 193 Liberty street, Pittsburgh.

This new volume forms one of the series of "The Sunday Library for Household Reading," published by this firm. It contains specimens of English religious poetry from the thirteenth century to the present time. In the brief notes linking the poems, Mr. Macdonald has alluded to the religious history of the country. The delicate duty has been performed with exquisite grace, as the author is noted for the nice discrimination observable in all his writings. Much valuable historic lore is brought out in the notes of the religious and intellectual history of England.

JULIETTE; OR NOW AND FOREVER. By Madeline Leslie. Published by Lee & Shepard, Boston. For sale by R. S. Davis & Co., Pittsburgh.

Among the best features of this pleasant story are the excellent religious lessons taught, and the duty of acknowledging Christ openly and fearlessly. It is a story of our land, and of the present time, and will enable the reader to beguile time pleasantly and profitably. Works of this sort are much sought after these days, and we look for quite an extensive sale of this book.

SEATS AND SADDLES, BITS AND BITTING, ETC. By Francis Dwyer, Major of Hussars in the Imperial Austrian service. Published by J. B. Lippincott & Co., Philadelphia. For sale by R. S. Davis & Co., 193 Liberty street, Pittsburgh.

We have here a manual of instruction of incalcuable value to horseback riders, and indeed, to all who have to do with horses. The various phases are discussed with great ability, and with such clearness that the theory taught can easily be mastered, and put into practice. The work is divided into three parts. The first treats of the frame-work of the horse, the saddle and its influence, on the seat, and the military seat. Part second discusses in detail the use of the bit and bitting. The third and last, gives the means how to render horses obedient, treatment of restiveness and special forms of restiveness. The admirable illustrations are in keeping with the text.

PHYSICAL MEDIA IN SPIRITUAL MANIFESTATIONS. By G. W. Samson, D.D., President of Columbian College, Washington, D. C. Published by J. B. Lippincott & Co., Philadelphia. For sale by R. S. Davis & Co., Pittsburgh.

This work treats of the phenomena of responding tables and the planchette, and their physical cause in the nervous organism, illustrated from ancient and modern testimonies. This interesting subject is presented in the form of letters, and the free and easy style in which the work is written makes them quite readable. Several important points bearing upon the discussion are presented with clearness, and many of the difficulties to a complete knowledge of the science are in a great measure removed by the gifted author. Facts and historical information are also embodied in the work, which cannot fail to enlighten the inquirer after the truth. His views are sensible and from a standpoint that will command respect.

MADAME DE STAEL: An Historical Novel. By Amely Bolte. Translated from the German by Theodore Johnson. Published by G. P. Putnam & Son, New York. For sale by R. S. Davis, No. 193 Liberty street, Pittsburgh.

History is here woven into the charm of romance. It is a bundle of historical facts, in which eminent personages, Voltaire, Napoleon, Schiller, Goethe and others, whose names are illustrious, are prominently brought out and clothed in glowing language. The wonderful career of the Necker family is depicted in attractive words, and with much delicacy. It is an interesting novel, and is denominated a "wreath of beautiful historical flowers." It is one of the excellent series of publications by Putnam, entitled "Library of European Literature," elegantly bound in green and spangled with gold.

THE DAY DAWN AND THE RAIN, AND OTHER SERMONS. By the Rev. John Ker, Glasgow, Scotland. Published by Robert Carter & Brothers, New York. For sale by S. A. Clarke & Co., Wood street, Pittsburgh.

It is rarely the case that printed sermons read as well as when first delivered, but these discourses are an exception to the rule. They are vigorous in style, compact in thought and attractive in language. The variety of topics, and but few doctrinal sermons, are noticeable features. This fact will doubtless give them a wider circulation among orthodox denominations. Another feature worthy of mention is the high tone and evangelical spirit which pervades them. The publishers have robed these discourses in beautiful attire.

THE WIFE MESSENGERS. By Mrs. M. B. Horton. Published by J. B. Lippincott & Co., Philadelphia. For sale by R. S. Davis & Co., Pittsburgh.

Lovers of pleasant stories will find this volume entertaining. Its tone is decidedly religious, indeed the style of the work throughout is of this type. The author's design in the work is well calculated to do and accomplish good. Works of fiction, of a high moral tone, should be encouraged, instead of the sensational publications issued by some houses. The work is elegantly printed.

APPLETON'S PUBLICATIONS.

Brief mention has been made to *Appletons' Journal* on two occasions. Four numbers have appeared, each one worthy of the high expectations of the public. It essays to occupy a field by itself, and will not interfere with any of the present weeklies and monthlies. In some respects it is quite different from *Harper's Weekly*. It is in brief an elegantly printed, conveniently shaped quarto of thirty-two pages. It will be mainly devoted to literature, science and art. Illustrations of a high order will appear in each number. In addition to handsome wood engravings, a steel plate, or large cartoon, or a supplement devoted to illustrations, will accompany each number. The specimens which have appeared are superb. Particular attention will be given to Science and Art. The vast resources and facilities of this house, are a sufficient guarantee that the public will realize their most sanguine expectations. The chief feature in the numbers published, is Victor Hugo's great story, "The Man Who Laughs," and will be for some time to come.

These publishers have sent us through S. A. Clarke & Co., Wood street, of this city, a copy of the "Poetical Works of Alexander Pope," a stout volume in paper covers of 480 pp. This is a new and revised edition by Rev. H. F. Carey, and contains a brief Biographical Sketch of the Poet. The work is well printed, and like all the issues of their series of Standard Poets, is surprisingly cheap. We received through the same source, number twelfth of Marryatt's Works, "Percival Keene," which we believe concludes the series. Price only 50 cents. Also, "Anne Geierstein" of the Waverly Series. This is volume twenty-third; two more will complete the set. Very cheap and well gotten up.

PETERSON'S WAVERLY NOVELS.

T. B. Peterson & Brothers, Philadelphia, have sent us through W. A. Gildenfenny, of this city, several numbers of their "Cheap Edition for the Million of the Waverly Novels," as follows: "The Talisman," "Count Robert of Paris," "Highland Widow," "Woodstock," "The Betrothed," "The Surgeon's Daughter." Each volume is sold at twenty cents. Publications of popular works at such a trifling expense, ought to supplant the *trash* of light literature which have been so widely circulated heretofore.

THE Harrisburg *Telegraph* "hears that a revenue collector of an adjoining district is now *thirteen thousand nine hundred dollars* in arrears for taxes actually collected; although he was removed by President JOHNSON some three years since, yet he has been permitted to retain the money; but we learn that the present active Commissioner has given orders that the money must be collected at once."

As a result of the recent railroad war between the Erie and Cincinnati, Hamilton and Dayton Companies, the latter have formed a through Eastern freight line *via* their road to Lima, and by the Pittsburgh, Fort and Chicago and Pennsylvania Central. The establishment of new line, it is thought, will lead to a lively competition, and, perhaps, some cutting under for freights.

THE LATE Lord Belhaven bequeathed to Queen Victoria the following interesting relics of Mary, Queen of Scots: Relic No. 1 is a cabinet made of ebony, richly ornamented in front with designs in tortoise shell; height, five feet two inches; width, four feet two inches; depth, one foot nine inches. The front opens with folding doors. In the centre are two small folding doors, which, on being opened, reveal a small recess, with tesselated pavement and roof with side mirrors. The inner folding doors are surrounded with drawers. The Scottish Queen brought this cabinet with her from France on her return to Scotland to begin her eventful career. The souvenir must be three hundred years old, but it is in wonderfully good preservation. Relic No. 2 is a purse (the work of Queen Mary's own hands) beautifully wrought with a crown, scepter and sword in gold, with the words "God Save King James." Relic No. 3 is a piece of unleavened bread, to which no authentic history is attached, but traditionally understood to have been a fragment of what Queen Mary had used when participating in the most solemn rite of her religion. There is also a lock of Mary's hair, which is of a light color.

THE JUDICIARY BILL just passed by Congres provides that the supreme court of the United States shall consist of the chief justice and eight associate justices, and six of whom shall constitute a quorum. For each of the nine circuits a circuit judge is to be appointed, whose jurisdiction therein shall be the same as that of the justice of the supreme court allotted thereto. The circuit judges are to receive $5,000 a year salary, each, and have power to appoint the clerks of the circuit courts, district judges appointing the clerks of their own courts. The chief justice and each justice of the supreme court must attend at least one term of the circuit court in each district of his circuit at least once in two years. Any judge of any court of the United States who shall have held his commission ten years and arrived at the age of seventy years may resign his office and retire upon full salary. It seems to us that the provisions of this bill are wise and just, and we presume it will receive the signature of the president.

THE New York *Tribune* says: "What a curious book might be written on the history of suicides! The ingenuity of distorted minds in discovering strange modes of death seems inexhaustible. An English carpenter a few years ago turned his mechanical skill to account in constructing a guillotine for his own decapitation. A New York merchant very recently hanged himself, and after putting on the noose adopted a most ingenious way of tying his hands between his legs, so that he could not release himself should his heart fail him at the last moment. Religious mania has been known to drive men to self-crucifiction. The most horrible case of suicide, however, that we remember, occurred a few days ago in London, where a man emptied a can of paraffine oil over his person and then set himself on fire."

R. G. JANUARY, of the firm of R. G. January & Co., leading merchants of Maysville, fatally shot himself through the head, on the 13th, in a sudden fit of mental aberration.

TRUSSES AND HERNIA.

The sad and deplorable condition of many who are afflicted with hernia or rupture of the bowels, calls loudly for some efficient and unmistakable remedy that will not only in every case give efficient relief, but in many cases effect a radical and thorough cure. These cases of hernia have become so frequent, that it is computed that one-sixth of the male population are said to be troubled, in some way or another, with this terrible ailment; and in very many cases do not know where to apply for an appropriate remedy, oftentimes not knowing whether an appliance is really needed or not; and if it should be needed, they often do not know where or to whom they should make application. The world is full of Trusses for the retention and cure of this lamentable evil, oftentimes an incontestable proof of their total and inadequate fitness to relieve the sufferer. This need not be; Dr. Keyser, at his new medicine store, No. 167 Liberty street, is abundantly supplied with every appliance, needful to the retention and relief of this terrible affliction, so that every one can be properly fitted at a moderate cost, with the full assurance that the appliance is the best that the mechanical department of surgery can afford. The Doctor has pursued the investigation of hernia with more than ordinary care for over thirty years, so that the afflicted can place implicit reliance on his skill and integrity with the full assurance that they will not only get the best truss, suitable to the case, but likewise a thorough and efficient knowledge of its proper application.

There are many persons who not only sacrifice their health, but even their lives, for want of a proper truss, or a truss properly applied. Strangulated and irreducable rupture, is a far more common ailment now than in former years; and may we not justly arrive at the conclusion, that its frequency is often occasioned by the neglect and carelessness of the sufferers themselves. No one would be regarded as safe or excusable who would go for a whole winter without the proper clothing to shield them from the inclemency of the weather, but, at the same time, it is thought a light affair to suffer for years with a protrusion that not only subjects the person to inconvenience, but even places life itself in jeopardy. Those of our readers who may be unfortunate to need appliances of this kind cannot act more wisely than to cut this advertisment out and preserve it, so as to enable them to retain the place where such important preservers of life and health are to be procured.

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GEORGE S. BOUTWELL,
SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY.
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PITTSBURGH, FT. WAYNE & CHICAGO R.R. CO., OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY, PITTSBURGH, PA., March 24, 1869.

THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THIS COMPANY have declared the regular Quarterly Dividend (No. 21,) of two and one-half per cent., free of Government tax, on the capital stock, for the Quarter ending March 31st, payable on and after MONDAY, April 27, proximo, at the office of Winslow, Lanier & Co., No. 27 Pine street, to those registered at New York, and at the office of the Treasurer, to those registered at Pittsburgh.

The Transfer Books will close on Monday, April 12, at 2 P. M., and re-open Tuesday, April 27, at 10 A. M.

F. M. HUTCHINSON,
Secretary.
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TO THE SCHOOL DIRECTORS OF ALLEGHENY COUNTY: GENTLEMEN:—In pursuance of the forty-third section of the Act of 8th May, 1854, you are hereby notified to meet in Convention at City Hall, in Pittsburgh, on the FIRST TUESDAY IN MAY, A. D. 186 , being the fourth day of the month, at 1 o'clock in the afternoon, and select *viva voce*, by a majority of the whole number of the Directors present, one person of literary and scientific acquirements, and of skill and experience in the art of teaching, as COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT, for the three succeeding years; determine the amount of compensation for the same, and certify the result to the State Superintendent at Harrisburg, as required by the thirty-ninth and fortieth sections of said act. The time for holding the election was changed at the past session of the Legislature.

A. T. DOUTHETT,
County Superintendent of Allegheny County.
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TO THE EDITORS OF THE DISPATCH: GENTLEMEN—Evidently you did not understand my "Address to the Christian World." You construed it to mean what it did not. I contend that Calvanism is Biblicalism, therefore it is truth. You say that my pamphlet is contradictory: to fools the Bible itself is contradictory. You seem to think that I place my religion upon the shoulders of John Calvin. O, no, Gentlemen! I place my religion upon the shoulders of no man; neither upon the shoulders of John Knox nor John Wesley; no, not even upon the Holy Father, but upon GOD. You thought to injure me. In the eyes of the foolish mob you did. So direct your fire-brands of hell some other way. ap16:h53

PUBLIC NOTICE.

Pursuant to an act of Assembly, approved the 20th of March, 1869, entitled "an act relating to interments in Trinity Church-yard, Pittsburgh," Public Notice is hereby given of the intention of the minister, wardens and vestry of Trinity (Episcopal) Church, after the 10th of MAY, proximo, to use a part of the graveground belonging to or connected with said church, as sites for new erections of Church and Chapel and for grades, and that Messrs. JOHN H. SHOENBERGER, JAMES M. COOPER, CALVIN ADAMS and JOSIAH KING, of the vestry, have been appointed a Committee to confer and arrange with the friends and relatives of all persons buried in the ground required for the purposes set forth in the act of Assembly aforesaid, for their retention under the new buildings or removal to other parts of the lot or to one of the rural cemeteries. One or more of the Committee may be found at the vestry room of the church at 3 to 5 o'clock P. M., on every WEDNESDAY and SATURDAY until the 15th of MAY, at which time and place parties interested will please call.

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HUGH M'LAUGHLIN.
April 14th, 1869. ap16:h52FSF

THE CO-PARTNERSHIP heretofore existing between the undersigned is this day dissolved by the withdrawal from the firm of John Hartmus. The business will be conducted as heretofore under the name and style of A. Steller & Sons.

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J. F. SLAGLE, City Attorney,
ap16:h27 No. 106 Fifth Avenue.

NOTICES.

NOTICE.—There will be a Special Meeting of the FRIENDSHIP HOSE COMPANY, held at the Engine House, on FRIDAY EVENING, April 16th, 1869, at 7½ o'clock. A full attendance is requested.

By order,
JAMES HUNTER,
President.
C. T. JEFFREYS, Secretary. ap16:h61

PUBLIC MEETING.

A meeting of the citizens of Pittsburgh, and of all persons interested in the navigation of the Western waters, will be held at WILKINS HALL, on FRIDAY MORNING, the 16th inst., at 11 o'clock, to hear report of Committee that visited Washington City, asking legislation to prevent short span bridges being built over the Ohio River. ap14:h47

PITTSBURGH, April 14th, 1869.

THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS of the COLUMBIA OIL COMPANY have this day declared a

DIVIDEND No. 33

Of TWO (2) PER CENT. on the Capital Stock, payable MONDAY, April 19th.

ap15:h48 A. P. McGREW, Secretary.

MERCANTILE LIBRARY HALL COMPANY.—The Fourth Instalment, $2 per share, on the Capital Stock is now due, payable at the Banking House of N. HOLMES & SONS.

Certificates of Stock are now ready to be issued to all subscribers paying up in full.

JAMES H. WRIGHT,
Treasurer.
PITTSBURGH, April 9, 1869. ap14

THE FEDERAL OIL COMPANY.—A stockholders' meeting will be held on the 15th DAY OF APRIL, 1869, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the office of A. A. MILLS, Duquesne Way, near Ninth street, Pittsburgh, for the purpose of taking action for the dissolution of the company. A full attendance is requested. By order of the Board.

C. L. GOEHRING, Pres't.

NOTICE.—At a Meeting of the Directors of the

EWALT STREET BRIDGE CO.,

On April 3d, an assessment of $5.00 per share on the Capital Stock was made. Payment is requested on or before the 23d of April, at the office of

CHRIS. SIEBERT,
ap6.h1 406 Penn street.

TO CARPENTERS AND BUILDERS.—Sealed proposals for the erection of

TWO STATION HOUSES,

For City of Pittsburgh, one to be erected in Twelfth and one in Seventeenth Ward of said city, will be received at the Hardware Store of J. & G. PEARSON, No. 47 Diamond street, between Wood and Smithfield streets, where Plans and Specifications can be seen. All proposals to be in by 12 o'clock, April 17th, 1869.

By order of Committee.

JOHN H. HARE,
JOS. MARSHALL,
ap5 GEO. R. PEARSON.

NOTICE.

THE ALLEGHENY COUNTY

Republican Executive Committee

Will meet on TUESDAY, April 20th, 1869, at 11 o'clock A. M., IN THEIR ROOMS in City Hall. Every member of the Committee should attend, as business of importance require their action.

RUSSELL ERRETT, Chairman.
JOHN H. STEWART, Secretary. ap2:g74-FF

PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD CO.

TREASURER'S DEPARTMENT,
PHILADELPHIA, PA., April 2, 1869.

TO THE STOCKHOLDERS OF THE PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD COMPANY.

All Stockholders, as registered on the Books of this Company on the 30th day of April, 1869, will be entitled to subscribe for TWENTY-FIVE PER CENT. of their respective interests in New Stock, at par, as follows:

First. Fifty per cent. at the time of subscription, between the 15th day of May, 1869, and the 30th day of June, 1869.

Second. Fifty per cent. between the 15th day of November, 1869, and the 31st day of December, 1869; or, if Stockholders should prefer, the whole amount may be paid up at the time of subscription, and each instalment so paid up shall be entitled to a pro rata of the Dividend that may be declared on full shares.

Third. That every Stockholder holding less than four shares, shall be entitled to subscribe for one share; and those holding more than a multiple of four shares shall be entitled to subscribe for an additional share.

Fourth. All shares upon which instalments are yet to be paid under Resolution of May 13, 1868, will be entitled to their allotment of the Twenty-five per cent. at par, as though they were paid in full.

ap15:46 THOMAS T. FIRTH, Treasurer.

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FINANCE AND TRADE.

OFFICE OF PITTSBURGH GAZETTE,
THURSDAY, April 15, 1869.

The gold market was strong to-day, but opened a shade lower than the closing quotations of last night. It was advanced on the presumption that the unsettled condition of the Alabama treaty would cause distrust in Europe and advance the price of gold here, and put down bonds in Europe. The fact, however, that the foreign bankers are again heavy purchasers of bonds, would indicate that no such fears are entertained. But it may also be, that they try to advance the market here for the purpose of selling out at high rates what they have in Europe; the state of the market, everything considered, would lead to the latter conclusion.

Bonds advanced three-fourths per cent. from yesterday's noon quotations, but the advance has so far brought out but little stock, held either for investment or speculation. It is, however, more likely that a reaction will set in to-morrow, should the attempt be made to advance quotations above present prices.

Stocks were active and higher, but declined at the close with considerable business. The scarcity of money has loaded down the banks, bankers and brokers, so that they have to do all in their power to advance the market before they can sell out.

Money from ten to twelve per cent. with the usual dullness of business.

Quotations as received by Ph. R. Mertz: Gold, 132½; Silver, 129; Eighty-one's, 116¼; Five Twenties, 1862, 125⅝; do 1864, 115¼; do 1865, 117⅞; do 1865, Consols, 114¼; do 1867, ——; do 1868, ——; Ten Forties, 105⅜; New York Central, 63¾; Erie, —; Reading, 93¼; Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne & Chicago Railroad, 132; Ohio & Mississippi, 32⅞; Michigan Southern, 98⅜; Cleveland & Pittsburgh, 98⅛; Chicago & Rock Island, 136⅛; Chicago & North Western, 83⅝; Chicago & North Western Preferred, 95⅛; Adams Express Company, 59; Merchants Union Express, 15¼; Pacific Mail, 92½; Western Union Telegraph Company, 41⅛; Gregory, 3,70; Quartz Hill, 1,45; Corydon, —; Smith & Parmlee, 3,10; W. Am. Express 40.

By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]
NEW YORK, April 15, 1869.

The Money market was easy throughout the day and all business was done at 7 per cent. currency, and 7 per cent. gold, but mostly at a lower rate. Prime business paper discounted more freely at 10 per cent. Sterling firm, with increasing business; prime bankers, sixty days, at 7⅝@8; sight at 8½@8⅝. Gold is weak; opened at 132⅝, advanced to 132¾, and closed at 132⅜@132½. Rates paid for carrying, 5@2 per cent. to flat. The clearances were $55,000. The steamer Hansa took $18,676.

Governments are strong and English and German bankers were large buyers all day for shipment; there were also considerable purchases to cover shorts, and a general disposition among the recently conservative houses to put themselves in position for a future advance of prices. The market is in a peculiar condition; the present actual short interest is very large and will be greatly increased by heavy options in '62s, '65s and '67s maturing during the coming week and hereafter. Currency Sixes are in good demand, and the growing ease in money will advance to much higher prices. Coupons of '81, 116½@117; do. '62, 120½@120¾; do. '64, 115¼@115⅝; do. '65, 117½@117⅞; do. new, 114½@114⅝; do. '67, 114¼@114½ do., '68, 114½@114¾; 10-40s, 105⅝@106; Pacific Currency Sixes, 106½@106⅝.

State bonds are dull with a decline on North Carolina; Missouris, 86½@86¾; Old Tennesses, 67½@68; New Tennessees, 65¾@66; North Carolinas, 53¾@54.

Stock Market was strong during the forenoon, with Rock Island as the special feature and selling from 134 up to 138¼, on the strength of reports that large script dividends were to be declared, but subsequently receded to 137; next in point of interest was New York Central, which fluctuated between 162⅝ and 164⅜, the diverse views concerning the probable action of the Legislature on the 8 per cent. certificates inducing unusually heavy transactions; after Central and Rock Island, the next larger transactions were in Northwestern, St, Paul, Ft. Wayne and Reading. In the afternoon the market was buoyant and excited, with a marked advance in some cases. New York Central, St. Paul, Wabash, old Southern, Reading, Hudson, Harlem, Pittsburgh and Lake Shore were all higher. Rock Island and Northwestern were weak and lower. Miscellaneous shares are higher. Express shares are quiet; market generally closed strong.

Five-thirty Prices—Cumberland, 25@32; Wells Express, 30½@31¼; American, 40¼@40½; Adams, 59⅛@59¼; Merchants Union, 15@16; United States, 59@59⅛; Quicksilver, 21⅝@22; Canton, 62¼@64; Pacific Mail, 92⅝@93⅛; Western Union Telegraph, 41¼@41⅜; New York Central, 164⅞@165; Hudson 149¾@150; Harlem, 138¼@139; preferred 138@140; Erie, 33¾@33⅞; preferred, 52@56; Reading, 93⅞@94; Chicago and Alton 151@152; preferred 152; Hartford and Erie, 22½@25; Mariposa, 19¾@20; Mariposa preferred, 38¼@38½; Terre Haute, 38@40; do. preferred, 67@69; Wabash, 70⅞@71; do. preferred, 78½@80; St. Paul, 78⅞@79; do. preferred, 85⅝@85½; Fort Wayne, 131¾@132¼; Ohio & Mississippi, 32⅞@33; Michigan Central, 119¾@120¼; Michigan Southern, 98½@98¾; Illinois Central, 139¾@140½; Pittsburgh, 91¼@91½; Lake Shore, 98¾ 98½; Rock Island, 136⅝@137; Northwestern, 83@83¼; do. preferred, 95½@95⅜; C. C. & I. C., 39; St. Joseph, 115; do. preferred, 112¾; Burlington and Quincy, 173.

Mining shares better. Gregory, 345; Smith & Parmelee, 305; Quartz Hill, 160.

Copper stocks at Boston: Copper Falls, 3; Franklin, 17; Hecla, 70; Hancock, 4; Quincy, 22.

Receipts of the Sub-Treasury were $1,009,634; payments, $1,916,974; balance, $89,769,530.

PITTSBURGH MARKETS.

OFFICE OF PITTSBURGH GAZETTE,
THURSDAY, April 15, 1869.

We can report a fair local demand for most of the leading articles and an increased volume of business in the aggregate, though as we noted yesterday, trade, generally, is not as brisk as it should be at this particular season of the year. In regard to values, there are no changes worthy of special notice.

APPLES—Very scarce, particularly in sound condition; we continue to quote at $5@6,50 per bbl.

APPLE BUTTER—90@$1 per gallon.

BUTTER—Is in good supply and less active, and the market is weaker; sales af prime to choice Roll at 45@48.

BEANS—$3,25@3,50 per bushel.

CHEESE—Market almost bare; small sales New York Goshen at 24@25.

CARBON OIL—Is still quoted at 29@30 in a jobbing way for standard brands.

CRANBERRIES—None in market.

CORNMEAL—$1,75@1,80 per cwt.

DRIED FRUIT—Peaches quiet and unchanged at 14 for quarters, and 18@19 for halves. Messrs. Isaiah Dickey & Co. sold 100 bgs of halves to go to Philadelphia. Apples scarce and in demand at 12@14.

EGGS—In good supply and dull; holders generally asking 20, though sales were made at 18@19.

FEATHERS—A shade firmer, and we now quote live geese feathers at 80 to the trade, and the usual advance in a retail way.

FLOUR—There a continued fair local demand and while the market is more active prices are unchanged. We continue to quote Spring Wheat brands at $6,50@7, and Winter Wheat at $7,50@8. Rye Flour $7,25. Mill prices unchanged.

GRAIN—No movement in Wheat and prices are nominal at $1,48@1,50 for Red. Corn is in rather better demand, and a shade stronger; sales shelled at 74@75; prime ear may be quoted at 78. Oats firm and in limited supply; 300 bushels on wharf at 65—small sales in store at 68@70. Rye is quoted at $1,40@1,43. Little or nothing doing in Barley—but little offering, and not much wanted. Choice Spring may be quoted at $2.

HAY—Prime loose, pressed, is selling on wharf at $27@28, and tight pressed at $24@25.

HOMINY—$5,75@6 per bbl.

HEMP—$215@220 per ton.

LARD OIL—Sales No. 1 at $1,55@1,58.

MAPLE MOLASSES—Sales in gallon jugs at $1,50@1,75.

PROVISIONS—Bacon is in steady demand at 14@14½ for Shoulders; 16½ for Ribbed, and 17¾@18 for Clear Sides; and 19½ for Sugar Cured Hams. Steamed Lard 19, and kettle rendered, 19¾@20. Dried Beef 21. Mess Pork $32,00.

POTATOES—Sales in store, at 75 per bushel.

PEANUTS—11 cts per pound.

SEEDS—There is a very fair demand for Clover, with sales at $10@10,50, and Timothy at $3,50@3,75. Flaxseed quoted at $2,45@2,50.

SALT—May be quoted at $1,80@1,85 by the car load, and $1,95@2 for small lots in store.

WHISKY—The Whisky market is dull and so irregular that it is difficult to give accurate quotations.

PETROLEUM MARKET.

OFFICE OF PITTSBURGH GAZETTE,
THURSDAY, April 15, 1869.

The oil market was somewhat stronger to-day, with an improved demand, and little or no disposition manifested to sell, prices compared with yesterday are, if anything, a shade better. The fact that the great bulk of the oil that arrived on the recent rise, has been delivered and paid for, notwithstanding the stringency in money matters, has created a stronger feeling, and this, doubtless, has something to do with the improvement above noted. There is one ugly feature connected with the business, however, and it is this more than anything else, that keeps it dull and depressed, we refer to the fact that there is not enough difference between the price of Crude and Refined. It is as plain as anything can be that the one must advance or the other decline, so as to afford a profit to the manufacturer, before the trade can be placed in a healthful and satisfactory condition, and, if such a thing is possible, the sooner it can be worked into this condition the better. It makes no difference to the refiner what the price is, provided he can realize a profit; as it is now, he is either obliged to do nothing or turn speculator, as there is no inducement offered to do what is commonly termed a manufacturing business.

CRUDE—As already noted, the Crude market was firmer to-day, with sales of some four thousand barrels, on spot, at 15. Yesterday it was freely offered at 15, without finding buyers; May and June, that is for a specified amount each month, would have sold readily at 15½, and refusals at 16 were asked for. The market is also reported firmer above.

REFINED—The Refined market was also stronger to-day, with considerable inquiry and that, too, at a slight advance, but refiners, as a general thing, are not disposed to sell, for the reasons we have already alluded to. Sale of 1,000 each April to June, at 33; 500 last half April, at 32; and 500 last half July, at 35½. Quotations may be fairly given at 31¾, on spot; 32¼, for last half April; 34 for May and June; 35, for June and July; 34½, for June; and 36 bid for June to December.

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McKelvy Bro., 98 bbls refined to W. P. Logan & Bro., Philadelphia.

Total Shipments Refined.............1053

OIL SHIPPED EAST FROM DUQUESNE DEPOT.

Union Refining Co., 598 W. P. Logan & Bro., Philadelphia.

Total shipments Refined.................. 598

The Pittsburgh Gazette.

AN EXTENSIVE BUSINESS HOUSE.

Increase in Trade—Pittsburgh in Competition with the Eastern Cities—Mammoth Establishment—The Queensware Business—Extensive Importations.

It is a self-evident fact that all branches of trade are increasing in this city, particularly the wholesale and jobbing business, features which until within a few years past, have been confined almost exclusively to our Eastern cities, Philadelphia, New York and Boston. Heretofore the attention of our merchants and men of capital has been confined, in a great degree, to the iron business, a branch of trade in which, owing to our unrivaled facilities for manufacturing and transporting we have had no successful competition, but in consequence of accumulating capital many energetic business men have sought other fields of investment, and entered into competition with eastern merchants in the importing business. In no branch of trade is this change more apparent than in the queensware, which, until recently, has been exclusively confined to the East. We have now, however, a wholesale Queensware Establishment and Importing House which is probably one of the most extensive of its character in the country, either East or West. We refer to the establishment of Boyts & Ogden, 23 and 25 Wood street, wholesale dealers in and importers of Queensware, Glassware, Rockingham, and Yellow ware and manufacturers of Lamps.

In order to give our readers some idea of the immense business done by this firm, we will endeavor to give a description of the establishment, without entering into minute details. The building occupies a front on Wood street of forty feet and extends back eighty feet; is three stories high exclusive of cellars. On each floor are two rooms twenty by eighty feet. The cellars, which extend under the entire building, are devoted to the reception of crates and other packages of goods as they arrive; and they are kept full constantly, notwithstanding a large force of men are continually employed in opening goods and re-packing to fill orders. On the first floor are the sample rooms, in one of which will be found every description of Queensware of the finest grades and China ware in endless variety, and back of this is the business office. In the other room an apartment has been neatly fitted up and arranged as a sample room for Glass-ware and Lamps. At the back end of the room is the private office, which is neatly and comfortably furnished, and the remaining portion of the room is used for opening goods. One of the rooms on the second floor is literally filled with Lamps and Kerosene goods generally, and in the other we find the cheaper grades of Queensware, the Rockingham and Liverpool yellow ware, for which this firm are the special agents for one of the largest manufacturing establishments in Liverpool.

The rooms on the third floor are receptacles for Glassware and Lamps, where both are found in endless variety as well as immense quantity.

The china ware is worthy of special notice, as it comprises all the newest styles and in endless varieties, and is imported by this firm direct from Limoges, France, where it is manufactured. Owing to the fact that Messrs. Boyts & Ogden purchase their goods from first hands and import them direct, they are enabled to sell them as cheap as they can be bought in the Eastern cities, and they agree to duplicate all New York and Philadelphia bills at New York and Philadelphia prices, thereby saving the freight from those points to this city to their customers. To dealers in lamps and kerosene goods of every description, they are enabled to offer superior inducements, from the fact that they are engaged in the manufacture of lamps, and sell them to the trade at a reduction of fifteen per cent. on Eastern prices.

The heavy business this firm have been doing through the South and southwest renders large importations necessary, and in addition to the mammoth stock on hand, goods are daily arriving from the eastern cities, where several vessels have just arrived loaded with queensware and china of their importation. The "Maggie Chapman," the "Amazon" and the "Marion" are now unloading goods at New York and Philadelphia, imported by this firm, and there are two other vessels yet to arrive.

The quality of the ware imported by them is equal, if not superior to any in the country, and we doubt if any other firm in the country is importing so great a quantity.

The members of the firm, Messrs. Boyts and Ogden, are both men of large business capacity and extensive experience, and enjoy the confidence and respect of the entire business community. Dealers throughout the country will find them prompt in filling orders, as well as honorable and fair in all their business transactions, and we take pleasure in recommending them to the public, and also feel a pride a having business men with such energy and enterprise as they have evinced in our own city. A few more such houses as this, in different branches of business, would bring millions of money to Pittsburgh that now flows into the coffers of other cities.

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Real Estate Transfers.

The following deeds were filed of record before H. Snively, Esq., Recorder April 13, 1869:

D. Bennett et al. to Theodore Zeller, March 24, 1866; lot in the borough of East Birmingham, 16 by 72 feet, with buildings....$1,800

Joseph C. Campbell to Amelia Zellers, March 26, 1866; lot on Railroad street, East Birmingham, 20 by 70 feet, with buildings....$1,000

John Myrick to Susannah Simpson, April 12, 1869; lot on Frederick street, Birmingham, 20 by 70 feet, with buildings....$1,200

Archibald Kelley to Mary Brady, March 19, 1869; lot in the Sixth ward, Pittsburgh, on Franklin street, 24 by 65 feet, with buildings....$4,300

M. Roe to George Engel, October 28, 1868; lot on the north side of Juniata street, Allegheny, 18 by 62 feet, with buildings....$2,200

George W. Moore to Walter Artley, April 8, 1869; lot in the Twenty-first ward, Pittsburgh, 42 by 150 feet, with buildings....$2,890

Same to same, April 8, 1869; an adjoining lot....$2,800

Michael Sinpert to Joseph Kapp, Sr., March 15, 1863; lot in McClurg's plan, Ormsby borough, on the southwest side of Carson street, 24 by 122 feet....$6,500

Martin Quinke to Hugh and Charles Gayton, July 20, 1868; lot in Pitt township, on Brady street, 24 by 97 feet....$625

Peter Myer to Jacob Xost, February 15, 1866; lot in Versailles township, containing half an acre, with buildings....$2,000

Theodore Zeller to D. O. Campbell, March 26, 1866; lot on Railroad street, East Birmingham, 16 by 72 feet, with buildings....$1,000

Wm. Robinson, Jr., to Justice Engle, September 27, 1859; lot No. 42 in Robinson's plan, Spring Garden, 25 by 120 feet....$200

Presley Katz to Riley McLaughlin, April 6, 1869; lot in Plum township, containing 2 acres and 83 perches....$209

Justice Engel to Geo. Hoffman, December 9, 1859; lot No 42 in Robinson's plan, Spring Garden, 25 by 120 feet....$60

Geo. Moore to W. H. Cluley, March 29, 1869; lot on Dinwiddie street, Eleventh ward, 70 by 83 feet....$400

Mary Thompson and Isabella McDowell to Peter Peifer, April 15, 1869; lot on the Evergreen plank road, Shaler township, containing 4 acres....$2,455

J. & R. H. Watson to Wm. Tate, Jr., and John R. Munden, July 4, 1867; lot on the north side of Jackson street, 2d ward, Allegheny, 20 by 115 feet....$1,108

James Jordan to J. C. Donald and Hezekiah Donald, April 13, 1869; lot in Patton township, containing 20 acres....$700

F. Hedges to Thos. J. May, March 30, 1869; lot No. 46 in plan of sub-division, Denniston property, East Liberty....$500

David Shafer to Wm. Tate, Jr., and John, June 20, 1868; lot on Jackson street, 2d ward, Allegheny, 115 by 132 feet....$1,200

Henry Johnson to Wm. Patterson, April 9, 1869; lot in Chartiers township, Stilley's plan, containing 1 acre....$450

John Shaw, Sr., to David Shafer, April 1, 1869; lot in Kilbuck township, containing 17 acres 2 roods....$8,750

Mary Thompson to James P. Brewer, Jan. 1, 1869; lot on the north side of North alley, 3d ward, Allegheny, 2 by 60 feet, with buildings....$1,500

MORTGAGES.

Same day twenty-four mortgages were filed of record.

WEDNESDAY, April 14, 1869.

Valentine Traff to George H. Hirshinger, March 20, 1869; lot on Jane street, East Birmingham 20 by 100 feet, with buildings....$2,300

Wm. W. Young and Thomas Ewing to Mrs. Fanny W. Teese, April 8, 1869; lot in Lartner's plan, Collins township, 30 by 102 feet, with buildings....$[illegible],000

Christian Feid to August Ammon, April 10, 1869; lot on Mary street, East Birmingham....$1

John P. Schneider to Herman Rettch, April 8, 1869; lot on Center street, Birmingham, 19 by 268 feet, with buildings....$2,600

Michael Schentz to Magdalena Schneidermantel, April 8, 1869; lot on the southwest corner of Corry and Rebecca streets, Allegheny, 27 by 64 feet, with buildings....$3,500

Samuel Garrison's heirs to Margaret Faas, July 24, 1868; lot on the east side of Butler street, Eighteenth ward, Pittsburgh, 48 by 100 feet....$400

Blaseus Miller to Frederick Slatter, March 13th, 1869; lot in Lower St. Clair township, on the Brownsville turnpike road, 30 by 51 feet....$350

A. B. Stevenson to Joseph S. Speer, April 1, 1869; lot on the Southerly line of Linden street, Twenty-third ward, Pittsburgh, 60 by 125 feet....$800

Agnes M. Mahan to Madison Thomas, Sept. 18, 1868; lot on Duncan street, Pittsburgh, 24 by 100 feet....$350

John Sheliar to Martin Nedeal, March 2, 1869; lot in Birmingham, Gregg's plan, 20 by 78 feet, with buildings....$2,300

John Ebner to Leopold Bertshe, March 30, 1861; lot No. 267, Gregg's plan, Birmingham....$900

John G. Frasher to John Ebner, September 20, 1860; same lot....$350

Philip Keller to Nermick Weber, April 13, 1869; lot in Collins township, 50 by 146 feet....$550

Allegheny city to James Thompson, lot in Shaler township, 48 by 130 feet....$820

Joseph Lofink to John Huckenstein, January 29, 1869; lot on the north side of Fountain street, Allegheny, 40 by 100 feet, with buildings....$1,500

J. C. Tilton to Rev. M. W. Jacobus, April 8, 1863; lot No. 5, in Irwin's plan, on Ridge street, Allegheny, 44 by 144 feet....$5,000

Thomas Duggan to Bridget Sherlock, April 7, 1869; lot on Beaver street, Sixth ward, Allegheny, 20 by 83 feet, with buildings....$1,500

John Huckestein to E. J. Smith, March 25, 1869; lot on the easterly side of Willis street, Allegheny, 60 by 100 feet....$900

John Taggart to the Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne and Chicago Railway Company, April 13, 1869; lot on the west side of Grant avenue, Second ward, Allegheny, 122 by 287 feet, with building, $42,783

Wm. McCreery to Alexander Leggate, August 10, 1868; lots Nos. 23 and 24 in McCreery's plan, McClure township....$800

Adam Rupert to George Rupert, April 10, 1869; lot in Brown's plan, Lower St. Clair township, 20 by 60 feet, with buildings....$1,000

Michael O. C. Ihmsen to Levi Lewis, March 10, 1869; lot on Third avenue and Grant street, 20 by 60 feet, with buildings....$8,000

Charles Hamilton to David Lewis, December 12, 1868; lot on May street, Ormsby borough, 24 by 73 feet....$600

Andrew W. McAuley to Casper Foth, March 30, 1869; lot in Marshall township, containing 65 acres....$4,500

Mrs. Mary Pearson to George K. Pearson, March 17, 1869; lot on Chestnut street, Pittsburgh, 66 by 151 feet....nominal

Mrs. Mary Pearson to Joseph S. Pearson, April 14, 1869; lot on Diamond alley, Pittsburgh, 20 by 165 feet, with buildings....$6,000

Nancy C. McClung to George B. Alter, April 1, 1869; lot of ground in Plum township, containing 101 acres and 74 perches....$10,500

Emery Gleason to William Rogers, November 10, 1868; lot on New Brighton road, in the borough of Bellville, 30 by 175 feet....$375

John Viehman to Christian Franke, February 1, 1869; lot on Jane street, East Birmingham, 60 by 116 feet, with buildings....$1,150

MORTGAGES.

Same day sixteen mortgages and four ordinances were filed for record.

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Washington Items.

The Census Committee, appointed before the adjournment of the House, has organized, and is holding meetings. They have agreed to appoint a sub-committee of five to sit during the recess, and perfect the details of the necessary legislation for taking the census, to be ready with their report at the December session.

The President has made a rule to receive no calls on the Sabbath, and has forbidden his Secretary to bring him any letters or telegrams, unless they are on important public business, in answer to something he has called for.

A short time since, as Gen. Butler was riding in the Pennsylvania avenue cars, a lady who was leaving the car remarked, as she passed him, "Look out for your spoons." The General promptly followed her, and ascertained that she was employed in the Treasury. She has now obtained a permanent leave of absence, and the General has had her place filled by a colored woman.

Mr. Motley, our new Minister to the Court of St. James, is here, the guest of Senator Sumner. He will receive his credentials immediately, and it is expected that the matter of his instructions will be the subject of a Cabinet meeting as soon as the Senate adjourns. The positive position the Senate has taken on the Alabama claims will be backed up by the President, and there are great expectations regarding his instructions to Mr. Motley on this particular subject.

The condition of affairs in relation to Cuba excites serious apprehensions. It is feared that events may compel the United States Government to extend physical as well as moral aid to Cuba, and that the European Powers may join Spain in demanding an absolute neutrality. Secretary Fish is opposed both to the President and a majority of the Cabinet, and regards the cause of Cuban independence as hopeless, desiring to base the Government policy upon that view.

John S. Carlisle, of West Virginia, nominated as Minister to Stockholm, was formerly Senator from that State, and acted with the Democrats. He has of late been a Grant man, but radical Senators say that will not save him, and that he must be rejected.

Senators say that they are going to scrutinize carefully all the nominations to places of importance sent to them, and reject any of them if necessary, without fear of giving offense. Judging from remarks made by the President, he would feel glad and relieved if a number of them should be rejected and thrown off his hands.

Nearly all of the important missions and consulates having been filled, and the Alabama treaty having been disposed of, the opinion is current to-night that the session of the Senate will not be extended beyond the present week. It was supposed that the Alabama matter would require several days for discussion, and few thought that the President would send in nominations so rapidly as he has done. The remaining appointments will be sent in as fast as the cases are decided upon, and, by the end of the week, the President thinks he will be enabled to dispose of all the offices of pressing importance, especially in the State and Treasury Departments. Daily sessions of the Foreign Relations, Commerce and Finance Committees of the Senate are held, and the nominations relating to the business under their advisement are subjected to the necessary scrutiny, and are passed as rapidly as their importance will permit. Owing to the debates on the treaties, but few nominations have been confirmed within the past few days, but an immense list from the Committees will be reported to-morrow, and confirmed without debate. Thus far, no rejections have been made, but some cases are held by the Committees for further deliberation.

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ADVICES from the St. Joseph (Mich.) fruit region state that, according to present prospects, there will be a larger crop of peaches, apples, pears, plums, grapes and berries than of any preceding year. The peach crop promises to be at least double that of last year.

POLITICAL.

☞FOR SHERIFF.

I respectfully announce myself a candidate for SHERIFF, subject to the usages of the Republican party; and if successful pledge myself to devote all my energy to an honorable and faithful discharge of the duties of the office.

ap13:d&F **H. S. FLEMING.**

☞FOR SHERIFF.

WILLIAM A. HERRON,

Will be a candidate for the office of Sheriff, subject to the decision of the Union Republican County Convention. mh25:g19-d&F

☞FOR CLERK OF COURTS,

JOHN G. BROWN,

Millvale borough, late private Co. H, 102d Reg't Penna. Vols., subject to the decision of the Union Republican County Convention. ap:6.

☞TO THE CITIZENS OF ALLEGHENY COUNTY:

I respectfully announce myself as a candidate for the office of CLERK OF COURTS, subject to the decision of the Union Republican County Convention. I would state that I ask the office but for ONE TERM, at the termination of which I would cheerfully retire, believing that there are others equally entitled to the honor and emoluments of the office, and as competent as myself. I will be under obligations to the citizens of the county for their support. Very respectfully,

JOSEPH BROWNE.

Late 102d (old 13th,) and 5th Pa. Vol. Regt. mh23:g47

SPECIAL NOTICES.

☞EPILEPSY CAN BE CURED

—Those having friends afflicted are earnestly solicited to send for a Circular Letter of References and Testimonials, which will convince the most skeptical of the *curability of the disease*. Address VAN BUREN LOCKROW, M. D., 36 Great Jones street, New York. mh19:g28-d&F

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—An Essay for young men on the crime of Solitude, and the DISEASES and ABUSES which create impediments to MARRIAGE, with sure means of relief. Sent in sealed letter envelopes, free of charge. Address, Dr. J. SKILLIN HOUGHTON, Howard Association, Philadelphia, Pa. a19:d&F

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FOUNDRY SITE, &c., AT AUCTION.

WEDNESDAY, April 21st, at 2½ o'clock P. M., on the premises, will be sold that property known as the UTILITY WORKS, corner of Fulton and Juniata streets, Allegheny City. The Lot fronts on Fulton street 130 feet and 73 feet on Juniata street to a 20 foot alley (thus having the advantage of three fronts,) on which is erected a large building for machine shop, with pattern room, ware room, office and engine room, japanning room, &c., making a complete works for making of small castings. The machinery consists of engine, boiler, shafting, pulleys, scouring barrels, grindstones, patent drills, lathes, and a complete assortment of pattern cards, for the production of a class of goods of which the establishment had almost the exclusive control. If not sold as a whole, the ground will be divided and sold in lots to suit purchasers, together with the buildings, the machinery, &c. If not sold will be removed. The location cannot be surpassed, and the property is fast increasing in value for building purposes. Further particulars by enquiring of WM. B. McLEAN & CO., or H. B. SMITHSON & CO.,

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VALUABLE LIBERTY STREET PROPERTY.

SATURDAY, April 17th, at 2½ o'clock P. M., will be sold that valuable lot of ground, fronting on Liberty street 40 feet, extending back to Spring alley 100 feet in depth, directly opposite Union Depot, with building Nos. 405 and 407, formerly occupied by "Pittsburgh Spring Co." For business purposes the location of this property cannot be surpassed, and the sale should be very attractive.

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HOUSE AND LOT, CORNER OF OHIO AVENUE AND BIDWELL ST., ALLEGHENY CITY,—IMMEDIATE POSSESSION—ON SATURDAY, APRIL 17TH, AT 2 O'CLOCK.

Will be sold on the premises, the property on the northwest corner of Ohio avenue and Bidwell street. The lot is 24 by 130 feet. The House is a two story brick of 5 rooms, in good condition. The location is very desirable, being on the corner of two main thoroughfares, traversed by the street cars. Could be easily converted into a good business stand. Terms at sale. Possession given on acceptance of the deed. For key to inspect premises apply to

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PROPOSALS.

WATER LOAN BONDS FOR SALE.

CONTROLLER'S OFFICE,
CITY OF ALLEGHENY, April 12, 1869.

SEALED PROPOSALS will be received at THIS OFFICE until 3 o'clock P. M. on WEDNESDAY, 21st inst., for the sale of

40,000 Dollars of Allegheny City

WATER MAIN EXTENSION BONDS,

of the denominations respectively of $500 and $1,000, said Bonds bearing 6 per cent. interest, paying semi-annually on the first days of July and January, and maturing in twenty years from date of issue.

Bids will be received for all or any portion of the above loans. Bids will also be received for converting the City Bonds maturing in 1870 into the above.

The right is reserved to reject any and all bids.

R. B. FRANCIS,
ap12:h31 CITY CONTROLLER.

NOTICE TO FOUNDERS AND TINNERS.

CONTROLLER'S OFFICE,
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SEALED PROPOSALS will be received at THIS OFFICE until 3 o'clock P. M., until WEDNESDAY, April 21st.

FOR FURNISHING THE CITY

WITH ALL THE

GAS POSTS

Required During the Year,

To be delivered at City Hall, at such times as they may be required. Pattern and Core Box will be furnished by the city. Bidders are requested to state the price per post; also the additional cost of furnishing them with two coats of good black paint. Bids will be received at the same time for furnishing all the GAS LAMPS required during the current year, to be of the same pattern and quality as those now in use.

R. B. FRANCIS,
ap12:h32 CITY CONTROLLER.

FLAG STONES.

CONTROLLER'S OFFICE,
CITY OF ALLEGHENY, April 12, 1869.

SEALED PROPOSALS will be received at THIS OFFICE until 3 o'clock P. M., on TUESDAY, April 20th, for furnishing the City with

2,000 Feet Undressed Flag Stones

For crossings. The Stones to be delivered at such times and places as the Street Commissioners may direct, and to conform to specifications to be furnished by Thomas Megraw, Esq., Street Commissioner.

R. B. FRANCIS,
ap13:h33 CITY CONTROLLER.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

CONTROLLER'S OFFICE,
CITY OF ALLEGHENY, April 14th, 1869.

SEALED PROPOSALS will be received at this office until 3 o'clock P. M., on WEDNESDAY, 21st inst., for GRADING and PAVING the following Avenues, Streets and Alleys, viz.:

WESTERN AVENUE, from its intersection with Rebecca street, eastwardly.

SAWMILL ALLEY, eastwardly of Coke Ovens in 8th ward.

SOUTH ALLEY, in the 6th ward.

FOR GRADING ONLY:

KILBUCK STREET, from Corry street to School street.

MANHATTAN STREET, from Hopkins street to Rebecca street.

Profiles, Estimates, &c., can be seen in the office of CHARLES DAVIS, Esq., City Engineer. Blanks for bidders will be furnished at this office.

R. B. FRANCIS,
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Wm. Clinton, tavern, 1st ward;
Albert Roessing, tavern, 1st ward;
Jas. McKeever, tavern, 1st ward;
Ann Lawrence, tavern, 1st ward;
John Roth, eating house, 1st ward;
Roedelheim & Affelder, other goods, 1st ward;
F. Evert & Co., other goods, 1st ward;
Jas. McKee, tavern, 2d ward;
Jas. D. Duncan, tavern, 2d ward;
Westley Kerr, tavern, 2d ward;
Chas. Fischer, tavern, 2d ward;
Burns & Quinn, tavern, 3d ward;
W. H. Stroup, tavern, 3d ward;
Danl. Haggerty, tavern, 3d ward;
John Klessner, tavern, 3d ward;
John Engel, tavern, 3d ward;
Saml. S. Sackett, eating house, 3d ward;
Wm. Burns, eating house, 3d ward;
R. R. Robinson, tavern, 4th ward;
F. Kellerman, tavern, 4th ward;
A. Glockner, other goods, 4th ward;
John Magee, tavern, 5th ward;
John McMahon, tavern, 5th ward;
Danl. Strain, eating house, 5th ward;
E. Fink, other goods, 5th ward;
S. Goldstein, other goods, 5th ward;
M. Richards, tavern, 6th ward;
John M. Robitzer, tavern, 6th ward;
Chas. Boyle, tavern, 7th ward;
M. Kirk, other goods, 7th ward;
L. Wolf, other goods, 7th ward;
H. Thomas, tavern, 8th ward;
A. Shdehan, tavern, 8th ward;
G. Stickenger, tavern, 8th ward;
L. Berkowitz, other goods, 8th ward;
E. J. Unger, tavern, 9th ward;
John O'Donnell, tavern, 9th ward;
E. Barker, tavern, 9th ward;
G. W. Rush, tavern, 9th ward;
Cath. Sawders, tavern, 10th ward;
B. Kurtz & Co., tavern, 10th ward;
W. L. Algeo, tavern, 11th ward;
F. Siebert, other goods, 11th ward;
M. Shea, tavern, 12th ward;
M. Edwards, tavern, 13th ward;
M. Hutchinson, tavern, 13th ward;
John Voldier, tavern, 12th ward;
L. Zimmer, tavern, 14th ward;
Jas. Scott, tavern, 13th ward;
Pat. Logan, eating house, 13th ward;
Ellen Thomas, tavern, 14th ward;
Henry Ailes, other goods, 14th ward;
Jac Weigel, tavern, 15th ward;
Thos. Barton, tavern, 17th ward;
Rosa Haack, tavern, 17th ward;
Jae Beisel, tavern, 19th ward;
Martin Flatty, tavern, 23d ward;

Allegheny.

Geo. Bailey, tavern, 1st ward;
Wm. Einstein, tavern, 1st ward;
R. Bechtold, tavern, 1st ward;
M. Fisher, tavern, 1st ward;
Jas. Hays, other goods, 1st ward;
Jas. McAllister, tavern, 2d ward;
E. G. O'Neill, other goods, 2d ward;
John Horn, tavern, 3d ward;
J. M. Geng, tavern, 3d ward;
Dennis Ling, tavern, 3d ward;
L. Mittenberger, eating house, 3d ward;
J. J. Wacker, tavern, 3d ward;
J. J. Voltz, tavern, 3d ward;
J. P. Wacker, tavern, 4th ward;
P. Fetherson, eating house, 4th ward;
W. Sadden, other goods, 4th ward;
W. McKain, tavern, 5th ward;
V. Short, Jr., tavern, 5th ward;
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Phil. Gerst, tavern, 7th ward.
Nich. Rufer, tavern, 7th ward;
Christ. Grossbaugh, tavern, 7th ward;
J. Simindinger, eating house, 7th ward;
Chas. Gettman, eating house, 7th ward;
Geo. Schmidt, eating house, 8th ward.

Boroughs.

Nich. Heler, tavern, Birmingham;
Peter Koenig, tavern, Birmingham;
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Jno. E. Young, tavern, Birmingham;
J. Rall, tavern, Birmingham;
Jno. Nusser, tavern, Birmingham;
Wm. Hollet, eating house, Birmingham;
Wm. Ruhe, other goods, Birmingham;
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T. T. Richards, tavern, East Birmingham;
Jane Thomas, tavern, East Birmingham;
H. Succop, tavern, East Birmingham;
E. Sweeny, tavern, East Birmingham;
Geo. Ingleking & Son, other goods, East Birmingham;
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M. Dowlin, tavern, Ormsby;
M. W. Spreen, other goods, South Pittsburgh;
M. King, eating house, West Pittsburgh;
M. Leonard, eating house, West Pittsburgh;
Jas. Connelly, other goods, West Pittsburgh;
Geo. Hoetzell, tavern, Temperanceville;
Saml. Mathews, eating house, Temperanceville;

Townships.

Wm. Franey, tavern, Baldwin;
A Gardiner, tavern, Chartiers.
John Schrodes, tavern, Crescent;
J. W. Tidball, tavern, North Fayette;
B. M. Clark, tavern North Fayette.
Jas. McGrogan, eating house, South Fayette;
John Lunch, tavern, Hampton;
A. Miller, tavern, Indiana;
G. F. Thomas, tavern, Indiana;
Thos. Hullings, tavern, Indiana;
C. Mayer, eating house, Indiana;
T. Paisely, tavern, Killbuck;
D. Scobie, tavern, McClure;
Jas. Patton, tavern, McClure;
Evaline Faeeburg, tavern, McClure;
B. Faloon, eating house, McClure;
W. Pender, tavern, Ohio;
John L. Cupps, tavern, Plum;
J. Born, tavern, Reserve;
C. Gorbev, tavern, Ross;
P. Wilbert, tavern, Robinson;
A. J. McQueety, tavern, Scott;
Louis Hara, tavern, Scott;
C. Heber, tavern, Shaler;
M. Beltzhoover, tavern, Lower St. Clair;
M. McGuire, tavern, Lower St. Clair;
R. Leonard, tavern, Lower St. Clair;
M. Alt, tavern, Lower St. Clair;
C. Bronder, e. h., Lower St. Clair;
S. Robinson, tavern, Wilkins;
B. Maritz, tavern, Wilkins;
W. Wingenroth, tavern, Wilkins;
J. Charlton, tavern, Robinson;

The License Board will sit for hearing the above applications on the 21st inst., at 9 o'clock A. M.

ap15 JOHN G. BROWN, Clerk.

COURT HOUSE AND JAIL IMPROVEMENTS.—STONE WORK.

—Proposals will be received for Stone Work of Court House and Jail Improvements until

FRIDAY, APRIL 16TH, 6 O'CLOCK P. M.

Plans and Specifications are ready for examination at our Office, Nos. 2 and 4 Sixth street, (late St. Clair.)

ap10:h26 BARR & MOSER, Architects.

INDIA RUBBER BELTING,

Hose, Steam Packing and Gaskets of the Boston Belting Companies manufacture at prices as low as this quality of goods can be bought of the manufacturer. A full stock always on hand at the India Rubber Depot, 26 and 28 Sixth street.

J. & H. PHILLIPS,
fe8 Sole Agents for the Company.

CITY AND SUBURBAN.

THE GAZETTE *is furnished in the city the six days of the week for* 15 *cents per week; by mail,* $8 *per annum:* 3 *mos.,* $2.

Mrs. Swisshelm will lecture in Butler, Pa., next Tuesday.

Mayor Drum disposed of several common cases at his levee yesterday morning.

Alleged Forgery.—Alderman Taylor yesterday committed James Dammont to the county jail for a further hearing, on a charge of forgery preferred against him by W. S. Kelley.

Work Commenced.—Work on the proposed improvement and extension of the Court House was commenced yesterday. We have heretofore given in detail the plan to be carried out.

Two Charges.—J. W. M'Kinley made information before Alderman Bailie yesterday against Matthew Seuerset for selling liquor on Sunday and selling liquor to minors. Warrant issued.

Watch Taken.—Andrew Miller made information before Alderman Taylor yesterday against John Brown for larceny. The prosecutor alleges Brown stole his watch, an American lever, valued at twenty dollars. Warrants issued.

The Liquor Law.—John Griffin made information before Alderman Taylor yesterday against J. H. Dittler for selling liquor on Sunday. The accused keeps a saloon on Fifth avenue, near Magee street. He was arrested and gave bail for a hearing.

Libel Filed.—Some weeks since in the U.S. District Court a libel was filed against six hundred and thirty barrels of distilled spirits, valued at $15,199.50, owned by James McKein, against whom a rule was issued to show cause why the same should not be sold, and Monday, April 24th, fixed for the disposal of the case.

The Fair now in progress in the M. E. Church, Temperanceville, will be continued every evening until Saturday, April 24th. The proceeds will be used in remodelling the church. Friends of the church and all others who wish to help the cause are respectfully invited to attend. The sealed votes on the child's carriage and doll will close on Saturday evening, April 17th.

In Working Order.—The inspection and repairs to the Allegheny Fire Alarm Telegraph were completed yesterday, with the exception of the new repeater, and the alarm is now in working order. The new repeater will be forwarded in about two weeks. Mr. Rogers will remain in the city until its arrival, to connect it with the telegraph line.

Child Lost.—Yesterday morning a little boy about four years of age, who had accompanied his mother to the city, while she was making some purchases at Little & Baird's, 112 and 114 Second avenue, left the house unnoticed by any one in the establishment, and up to a late hour had not been found. He wore a suit of gray clothes and a dark cap.

Put Him Out—Joseph Washington made information before Alderman Bailie, yesterday, against Louis Hays for assault and battery. Washington alleges he went to the shoe store, kept by Hays, to settle up some accounts, but instead of accomplishing his object a dispute arose between them which resulted in his being unceremoniously thrust out of the store. A warrant for the arrest of Hays was issued.

Number Four of *Appletons' Journal* contains a pictorial supplement, called "New York Illustrated," consisting of a series of very fine and animated views of buildings and streets in the city. It is the best series of metropolitan views we recollect of having seen; the engravings are very superior in execution, and the descriptive text very entertaining. This supplement is worth more than the price asked for the *Journal*.

The County Treasurer.—It is generally conceded that our gallant and esteemed friend, Maj. J. F. Dennison, the present efficient incumbent of the County Treasurer's office, will have no opposition before the Union Republican County Convention for renomination. He has made an excellent and praiseworthy officer, affording the largest measure of satisfaction in the position, and his re-election would prove a matter of congratulation to all citizens interested in the affairs of the county.

Professionals Arrested.—Yesterday afternoon officers Moore and Ruch arrested Wash. Frees and his companion, on a charge of being professional thieves. It appears that the Mayor received a letter a few days since from Chicago, stating that Frees and two companions had started for this city, and would arrive here yesterday, and upon this information the officers operated, and "nabbed" Frees and one of his companions as soon as they landed, but did not get the third, he having failed to put in an appearance. They were locked up for a hearing.

The Bankrupt Law.—As the law now stands no person can obtain the benefit of the act unless he is able to pay fifty per cent. of his liabilities, or unless he can obtain the consent of a majority of his creditors, who may be willing to accept whatever he, as a debtor, is able to pay out of his estate—in case he has any. If a party commits an act of bankruptcy by the stoppage of his commercial paper, or makes an assignment of his goods or property in fraud of certain creditors, other creditors claiming to be defrauded by such procedure have the power of petitioning the Court to declare such a person bankrupt within the meaning of the law.

Beautiful Phenomenon.—Last night between the hours of eight and ten o'clock the heavens presented a beautiful appearance, being all aglow with an electrical phenomenon which formed a bow across the horizon of various shades of color. It was broad and bright, much resembling the tail of a comet in appearance. It was dazzling at times, and in its flickering much resembled the glow given the heavens by a fire in the distance. We do not remember having ever seen such a remarkable exhibition in the heavens from the *aurora borealis*, and those who missed seeing it were deprived of a rare spectacle of beauty.

Notice to the Public.

With pleasure I inform my many old friends that I am now employed as cutter in the well known and fashionable merchant tailor house of Mr. Henry Sutmeyer, No. 127 Federal street, Allegheny. Mr. Sutmeyer has on hand one of the finest stocks from which to select Spring and Summer suits, and all kinds of clothing from, that is to be found in the two cities. I shall be pleased to have all my former customers and all others who may desire clothes cut well and made from good material call and see me at the above number.

M. C. BURKE,
Late cutter at No. 118 Market street, Pittsburgh.

THE FIRE.

Burning of Forsythe Bros'. Oil Works—Immense Destruction of Property—Another Refinery Partially Destroyed—Man Burned to Death—Dwelling House and Stable Burned.

The terrible conflagration at Forsythe's Oil Works, a full account of which, up to 10 o'clock, Wednesday evening, we published yesterday, continued to spread and increase until about 12 o'clock M. yesterday, destroying a large amount of oil and machinery, a dwelling house and several other buildings.

In closing our report yesterday, we stated that the fire was confined mainly to two points, but was liable at any moment to spread to adjoining buildings, which was the case. At about half past ten o'clock, Wednesday night, the distilled oil tank, containg eight thousand barrels of oil, which had continued to burn from the breaking out of the fire, becoming partially emptied, the cover fell in and the flames instantly spread to the cooper shop, which was near it, and also to the large crude oil tank, containing twenty thousand barrels of crude oil, about one hundred feet east of it, which, it appears, was covered with plank. A short distance from this tank the barreling house was located, and a similar tank cotaining about twenty-five thousand barrels of crude oil, was a short distance east of it, and all efforts were now turned to save them from the devouring element. The fire continued to rage at the points already mentioned until about half-past eleven o'clock at night, when the tank which had last taken fire bursted, and a perfect flood of burning oil shot forth in every direction, devouring everything with which it came in contact. The barreling house was almost instantly enveloped in flames, and in a few minutes, with its contents, several thousand empty barrels and machinery, was a pile of smouldering ruins. The flood of fire and oil swept on and continued its work of destruction. The next building of any moment in its track was an elegant brick dwelling, the property of Forsythe Bros., and occupied by Mr. James Forsaith, their oil gauger, which was situated some distance below the oil works, towards the river. The burning oil surrounded it, and in a few moments it was destroyed. The furniture, having all been removed on the previous day, was saved. The sheet of flame swept on passing over the track of the Allegheny Valley railroad, burning the cross-ties and warping the rails to such an extent, as to necessitate their being replaced by new ones. Adjoining the house of Mr. Forsythe was a frame stable which was consumed in less time than it requires to chronicle the fact. On sped the flames writhing and snapping like demons from the lower regions devouring everything of a perishable nature that lay in the course of the fiery flood. Five telegraph poles were burned down, and near by two large iron tanks containing about 8,000 barrels of crude oil, next fell a prey to the flames, and were totally consumed. One of these tanks was owned by Forsythe Bros., and the other was the property of Messrs. Munsheimer, Koehler & Co., proprietors of the "Stella" Oil Wooks. Some distance further down the river the barrel house, belonging to Messrs. Earney & Jagerman, of the "Clara" Oil Works was consumed, with its contents, over three thousand barrels. A wooden tank belonging to the same firm was also destroyed. The office of Forsythe Bros., a brick building near the railroad, was also destroyed. Not until the mighty volume of fire and oil reached the river, or the oil was consumed, did the work of destruction cease. The damage done to the "Clara" oil works, beyond what we have stated, was comparatively small. The Messrs. Forsythe, however, have been very heavy losers. The entire loss, as estimated by a number of persons familiar with the business and having a knowledge of the premises, will reach $250,000, upon which, we are informed, there is $75,000.

Yesterday morning while some men were looking over the ruins on the ground where the stable had stood, the remains of a man were found. The head and limbs and part of the trunk were almost entirely consumed, but enough remained to show that it was the remains of a human being. The buttons which had been on the clothing were found near. It was reported last evening that the body was that of a Mr. Reed, who had been about that locality for several days, but it was not known positively whether such was the case or not. Coronor Clawson was sent for but declined to hold an inquest, as it was impossible to ascertain anything about the matter.

The fire continued to burn all day yesterday, but had abated considerably when our reporter left the ground. It was not thought probable that any further damage would be done, as the flames were confined to localities from whence there was no possibility of their spreading. The railroad track was damaged for a distance of four or five hundred feet, and in consequence thereof all the morning trains were delayed several hours. A force of over a hundred men were set to work early in the morning, however, and had the track relaid and in complete repair before twelve o'clock, M., and the trains are now running regular.

Opened a Letter.

Patrick Kearney was before Mayor Drum, last evening, on a charge of larceny. Patrick is proprietor of a boarding house in the Sixth ward, Allegheny. A short time since one of his boarders disappeared, leaving an account of ten dollars unsettled. Soon after a letter was left at the boarding house for the missing man, which Kearney opened and found to contain thirty dollars. He thereupon proceeded to settle the absentee's indebtedness by appropriating ten dollars and forwarding the remainder to the owner. Subsequently a demand was made for the return of the ten dollars, which, upon being refused, caused the charge to be made as stated. Kearney at the hearing explained that he had been informed by the writer of the letter previously that the letter would be sent with the money, and he was directed to act as he did. As he appeared to have no evil intent in the matter and expressed himself as willing to refund the money, the Mayor dismissed the case.

An Enterprising Thief.

Wednesday afternoon some thief entered the livery stable of Mr. Owen Fitzgerald, on Irwin street, this city, and cut off a number of buckles, rings, bits, &c., from the harness, and escaped without detection. The fellow was tracked home to Allegheny and the police there notified of the affair. Yesterday afternoon they succeeded in capturing the man, who gave his name as John Woodhouse. After he had stolen the articles from the livery stable he traded them to the proprietor of the Emmel House, Allegheny, for a breakfast, but a short time afterwards restole and resold them. He seems to have a peculiar fitness for thieving, a fitness, however, which generally leads its possessor into trouble. He was locked up and will have a hearing this morning.

THE COURTS

District Court—Judge Hampton.

THURSDAY, April 15.—The case of Hutchinson vs. the School Directors of Indiana township is still on trial.

Following is the trial list for to-day:

62. Steamer Fair Play vs. Starz.
64. Watters vs. Warden et al.
82. Mertz vs. Dunning & M'Anulty.
88. Faas vs. Cochran.
90. Jenkins & Co. vs. Hodges.
93. Heastings vs. M'Gee.
101. Napier et al. vs. Darlington.
102. Haller vs. Matthews.

The Court of Quarter Sessions was not in session yesterday, there being no business ready.

Common Pleas—Judges Sterrett and Mellon.

THURSDAY, April 15.—In the Quarter Sessions room Judge Sterrett resumed the regular Commom Pleas list. The first case taken up was that of the Devisees of Wm. Robinson, Jr., deceased, vs. Joseph Myers. Action in ejectment for a lot of ground on Taylor avenue, Allegheny. On trial.

Before Judge Mellon, the case of James Barclay vs. Edward Davidson, previously reported, is still on trial.

TRIAL LIST FOR FRIDAY.

December List.

90. Kramer vs. Arensburg.

January List,

2. Auld vs. Wain.
4. Fultz vs. Rushenberger.
6. Skating Park vs. Shaffer et al.
7. Powell vs. Little.
10. Smith vs. Gray.
11. Frank, Bros. & Co. vs. Franklin.
12. Hageman vs. Kratz & Co.
17. Cox & Co. vs. Davidson.
19. Himmelrich vs. Kain.
20. Carter vs. Darlington et al.
21. Lang vs. McClarren.
22. McMasters vs. Penna. R. R. Co.
24. Sehan vs. Schaderman.
27. Beatty & Potts vs. Cowan.

A Severe Blow—Man Seriously Injured.

On Monday evening an encounter occurred in the Twelfth ward, on Carson street, near Twentieth, between John Magee and John Powers, which resulted in the serious and almost fatal injury of Magee, at the hands of his opponent. It seems that for some time past a grudge has existed between the parties, who are brothers-in-law. On the evening named Magee, in an intoxicated condition, called at Powers' house about nine o'clock and demanded admittance. He was refused and ordered away but persisted in his demand. Finally, expostulation being in vain, Magee burst open the door and entered. His first object of attack was Powers, whom he grasped by the arm and was in the act of striking when the assailed party picked up a hatchet from the floor and struck him on the head, felling him to the floor. An examination revealed the skull fractured and two of his ribs broken. Powers immediately called medical assistance, but for some reason the wounds were not attended to until Wednesday, when Dr. Murdoch was summoned. After an examination the Doctor, aided by Dr. Foster, succeeded in removing the fractured portions of the skull, a job requiring delicate manipulation but skilfully performed, and rendering other needed medical attention to the broken ribs. Yesterday the man was somewhat improved and the physicians considered his recovery probable. Powers subsequent to the difficulty gave himself up to the authorities but was released when the circumstances of the case were made known. Magee is a puddler by occupation and resides at Etna. Powers is a young man, unmarried and resides with his mother and sister on Carson street, where the difficulty occurred.

Singular Case.

On Thursday last a singular case of temperary mental aberration was developed in Allegheny. A citizen of the Second Ward, whose name, for obvious reasons we suppress, upon returning to his noonday meal, was informed that an only son, a lad about fourteen years of age, who had been ill for some time, had been pronounced in a dying condition by the physician in attendance. Upon receiving the information he arose from the table, and putting on his hat, disappeared from the house. Nothing was heard of him during the remainder of the day, and towards evening the family becoming alarmed at his prolonged absence, despatched messengers in every direction but without finding any trace of his whereabouts. At an early hour, Wednesday morning, the missing man returned home and explained his absence. He says that upon leaving the house, his mind became so much confused and depressed with the intelligence he had received, that he lost all knowledge of his surroundings and knew nothing of his actions until near midnight on Tuesday, when he awoke as it were from a trance, and found himself, walking by a station on the Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne and Chicago Railroad, about fourteen miles from Allegheny. He could recollect nothing that occurred from the time of leaving home, until the time mentioned. Upon recovering his senses he obtained lodging until the next morning, when he came to Allegheny on the first train.

Subsequently the son died.

Disorderly Tenant.

John Seever made information before Mayor Drum yesterday against Mary J. Cragan for disorderly conduct. Seever owns several houses in the Third ward, and Mrs. Cragan is one of his tenants. Yesterday the tenant imbibed too much fighting whisky, a habit which it seems she is addicted to, and, as a consequence, her deportment was altogether out of the bounds of propriety. She became so boisterous that at length some of the neighbors called on Mr. Seever and directed his attention to the annoyance, which resulted in the information. Mrs. Cragan is the mother of seven children, in the training of which she seems to think to spare the rod, would be emphatically to spoil the child, hence, according to the statement of her neighbors, her chief maternal joy consists in using the rod, especially when she is under the influence of liquor, as was the case yesterday. She was committed to jail in default of fine.

Forestalling.

Constable Stork yesterday afternoon arrested, in the Allegheny Market, a woman who gave her name as Catharine Freeman and who had purchased a lot of dressed chickens to sell again. When taken to the Mayor's office she first stated she resided in Allegheny, but in a short time after made a counter statement, fixing her residence in Jail alley, Pittsburgh, and maintaining that she had purchased the chickens for her own table. The falsity of this statement was too palpable, and she was accordingly fined ten dollars. She left the chickens, nine pair in all, as security for the payment of the fine this morning.

Death of Signor Natale Giamboni.

To the mystery of the grave were, on Tuesday last, tenderly left by a few intimate friends who formed his only family, the mortal remains of a man whose existence was itself an enigma which will never be solved in this world. After a long illness, but without painful sruggle, Signor Giamboni expired at the age of seventy-five. So says the certificate of his death. But his exact age was known to no one; and even the disease which took him from us baffled the penetration of his physicians. He was born near Turin, from parents of affluent circumstances. Possessed of a rare voice, and gifted with a truly artistic nature, he never took to business, and early connected himself with musical clubs and academies.

Some years ago one of his friends, seeing him caress children with a fondness seldom found in old bachelors, ventured to ask him why he never married. "Because," he answered with a readiness surprising to his reticent lips, "because the lady to whom I was engaged died a few hours before the celebration of our marriage, and I swore then that I would remain single." The sorrow with which this tragic end to his dream of happiness must have struck his young heart, may account for his extensive travels throughout all Europe. It was thus that he became acquainted with all the great composers and singers of his time; and many doubtless are those of our readers who enjoyed his interesting reminiscences and anecdotes, even if they heard them more than once from the old artist.

What mood of fate brought him to this country, nobody can tell. At first he visited the Atlantic cities, clinging, so to speak, to the shore, with the intention perhaps soon to return to his beautiful Italy, of which he never spoke without tears in his eyes. Alas! the moment perhaps came, when, asking himself whether the contact of men and things and the calm of years had healed the wound of his youth, he dreaded as much as ever to see again the scene of his misfortune, and concluded to stay as far from it as he could. It was about at that time that he went to Havana. His friends suppose that his means may then have been so reduced as to oblige him to contract an engagement as an opera singer. However, he never confirmed that supposition, and felt a great pleasure in speaking of that epoch of his life. Twenty years ago he came to Pittsburgh, and now his history belongs to us.

He had no sooner established himself in our midst than he became the centre of our musical society, and the delight of our most fashionable salons. A gentleman as well as an artist born, his gentleness of manners and high toned affability made for him many friends of the admirers of his talent.

Nobody knows what were his thoughts when alone in his two-story little house of two rooms in all, or how he lived there. It was his sanctum; he never invited anybody to it, and, fond of society as he was, never received visitors. His face generally wore a pensive expression, nearer to resignation than to sadness. In conversation, without being exactly absent minded, he usually seemed to follow a course of ideas of his own; and while his heart was unmistakably in warm sympathy with his friends, his mind lacked the elasticity of adaptation. To this circumstance he probably owed the reputation of eccentricity, which he had with those who did not know him well. But he was in fact as simple and natural a man as ever lived, never alluding to his own troubles, never complaining of his fate, accepting the decrees of Providence with a meekness and equanimity that the best drilled Christian had hardly found in his religion. What mist of mysteriousness was spread over his existence was a charm, not an affectation.

So with his love of music; it was sincerely genuine. True, he did not sing for display, but from a necessity of his organization, and with as little pretention as the bird itself warbles. He, the father of vocal music in Pittsburgh, did not seem to realize the good he was doing by his example, so worthy of imitation, and his precepts so bountifully scattered. He never gave a lesson of singing; but where is the singer who directly or indirectly does not owe him a debt of gratitude? If fees could be collected from all those who have been benefitted by his gratuitous teachings and unconscious influence, enough money would be had to elevate to his memory such a monument as would rival the most sumptuous testimonials of loved respect in the Allegheny Cemetery.

A monument! No, his friends know his grave; so does the robin. The soft rains and tepid breezes of spring will soon cover with grass the humble mound, and a few flowers soon grow under the care of loving hands. Enough for the body! As to his soul—whether a reflection of his last fond thought of his friends, or of the beatitudes of which he had a dim vision in dying—such a smile was stamped on his kind and noble face as seemed to say "I am happy!"

Amusements.

OPERA HOUSE.—Mrs. Mary Gladstane appeared as "Elizabeth, Queen of England," at the Opera House last evening. There was a very fair audience present, and the entertainment was of a highly interesting character. To-night Mrs. Gladstane takes a benefit, on which occasion "Mary Stuart" will be presented.

PITTSBURGH THEATRE.—Full houses are a nightly occurrence at the Pittsburgh Theatre under the present management. Mr. Williams has as fine a Varieties Company as was ever collected together, in addition to which Mr. James Taylor, the celebrated London Comedian, appears nightly in his inimitable comic acts and songs.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC.—As previously announced, "The Field of the Cloth of Gold," will shortly be presented at the Academy of Music by Mr. Hess' company. The piece has had an unprecedented run of over two months in Philadelphia, where it was given by Mr. Hess' company.

MASONIC HALL.—The concert at Masonic Hall last night, by the Allegheny Quartette Club, was a rich musical treat. To-night a dramatic entertainment will be given by a number of amateurs.

G. A. R.—All members of the G. A. R. who contemplate taking part in the dramatic entertainments to be given for the benefit of Posts 35 and 88, Allegheny, are requested to meet at Post 35, corner of Lacock and Federal streets, Saturday night, in order that a cast of characters may be made up for rehearsal.

The New Bounty Act.

The bounty bill which passed Congress provides that every soldier who was discharged by reason of "expiration of term of service" shall be held to have filled his full term of enlistment, and be entitled to a bounty accordingly. Also, that a widow, minor children or parents in the order named, of any soldier who shall have died after being honorably discharged, shall be entitled to receive the additional bounty to which such soldier would be entitled if living. All claims for bounty under the act of July, 1866, shall be void unless presented prior to December 1, 1869.

An Afflicting Suicide.

The suicide of Mr. Wm. A. Blakesley, of Glade township, Warren county, a few days ago, was attended with painful circumstances. His body was found in the woods, some distance from his residence, and appearances indicated that he must have climbed a tree, where he affixed one end of the rope to a limb and the other to his neck. He then shot himself through the brain, fell from the limb and hung suspended by the rope. He used a looking glass to assist in taking aim with the revolver. Mr. Blakeley was about fifty-five years of age, was considered in good circumstances, and left a wife and several children to mourn his loss. It is thought by many that he was laboring under a fit of insanity, as he had once before attempted to destroy himself. He was considered educated, once followed the vocation of a minister, and held the office of Justice of the Peace at the time of his death.

The following letter was found in the vest pocket of the deceased:

My wife is a good woman. We have had no difficulty. God only knows what I suffer in my side and head. I can never be any better. I am almost blind, my eyes are failing very fast. Oh my poor head, my poor head. I am living in continual fear of being blind and crazy. I can't stand it any longer. Bury me down below the barn by the line fence, and if the Yankeebush folks are willing you can take me up there some other time. The neighbors will help bury me. I don't want any regular funeral. I trust myself to the mercy of God, and to the alluring sacrifice of the Lord Jesus Christ. I love you all. My wife and children be good. Take care of your health, I have ruined mine and now suffer more than tongue can tell. Farewell, I have no hope in this world. Bury me just as I am. W. A. BLAKESLEY.

N. B.—Let me be in the barn until you are ready to bury me.

The Allegheny Controllership.

The members of the Allegheny Councils assembled in caucus in the Select Council Chamber, last evening, for the purpose of nominating a candidate for the office of City Controller, made vacant by the resignation of R. B. Francis, Esq. As we have heretofore stated, three gentlemen were in the field for the nomination, viz: Messrs. C. W. Benney, of the First, Geo. B. McCleane, of the Third, and Wm. M. Porter, of the Fourth ward. The caucus, although a brief one, (continuing in session about half an hour,) was quite animated, five ballots being taken before a choice was made. On the fifth ballot Mr. Wm. M. Porter received a majority of the votes cast, and was accordingly declared the nominee, after which the caucus adjourned. Mr. Porter will be duly elected at the next meeting of Councils, which takes place, Thursday evening, April 29th.

The nominee, though comparatively a young man, is well known throughout the city and enjoys a high reputation as a business man and gentleman. During the war he entered the army as a private, and after serving four years in the service, was honorably discharged by reason of wounds received in battle. From a private's position he raised himself to a Captaincy, and was finally breveted Major for gallantry at the battle of Cedar Creek. For two years past he has been engaged in business in Allegheny. In his new position he will doubtless, as elsewhere, prove competent and reliable, and fully merit the confidence reposed in him, as evinced by the action of the members of Councils last night.

The Ben Franklin Insurance Company.

Few fire insurance companies in this country enjoy higher reputation for honor and honesty than our own local Ben Franklin, of Allegheny. Conducting its business on a careful system, assuming no extraordinary risks, issuing policies with prudence and judgment, it has won the universal confidence of the business community, and is deemed as safe and reliable as any other similar organization in the country. Its board of directors and officers number business gentlemen conspicuous for their shrewdness, integrity and responsibility, whose names alone are sufficient guarantee of the staunchness and high character of the company, whose affairs they manage and direct. The Secretary, George D. Riddle, Esq., is a clever, courteous and agreeable gentleman, with whom it is a pleasure to have business transactions, and our readers wishing to insure in a company which they can rely upon being safe and trustworthy are referred to him at the office, No. 41 Ohio street, Allegheny, for all needful information regarding rates and terms.

New Life Insurance Company.

Elsewhere we publish the advertisement of the Co-Operative Life Insurance Company of Western Pennsylvania, a newly formed organization, embracing in its officers and stockholders many of our most responsible business citizens. The system on which it is to be conducted is strikingly peculiar, and on examination will prove decidedly attractive. By cooperation it is enabled to combine with perfect security a degree of simplicity, equality, conveniences, liberality and economy which has never before been attained by life insurance companies. We commend this new institution to our friends as eminently worthy of confidence and support, and hope those contemplating life insurance will closely examine into its superior plans for sharing with the assured and rendering life insurance popular and profitable.

Hydrophobia.

Yesterday afternoon considerable excitement was created on Ohio, near Middle street, Allegheny, by the vagaries of a mad dog, which suddenly made its appearance, much to the dismay of the pedestrians who crowded the thoroughfare at the time. The animal, after tearing around considerably, finally brought up in an empty dry goods box on the pavement, where it was despatched by a blow in the head from a hatchet, weilded by one of the least frightened of the spectators who witnessed its conduct. Fortunately no one was bitten, but the result might have been different. When will Pittsburgh and Allegheny have a proper dog ordinance.

Fashion.—Gildenfenny sends to us "Mme. Demorest's Mirror of Fashjons" for May. We examined it long enough to see how fearfully and wonderfully made are the feminine fashions of the day, and then put the Mirror out of the sight of all our handsome young bachelors. We thought they should not be permitted to know too much.

To Unmarried Ladies.—As we were on our rounds we noticed a new establishment at No. 10 Diamond, Allegheny, and looked in, and were pleased to find that our friends had a large stock of queensware, almost equal to china. We recommend all those who contemplate matrimony to call on Beggs & McGraw, and examine for themselves. Don't forget the place, No. 10 Diamond, Allegheny.

Get a good trunk or valise when you are purchasing and you will never regret it. Liebler, No. 104 Wood street, sells the best in the market at the cheapest ates.

American Life Insurance Company of Philadelphia—Chartered in 1850—Charter Perpetual—Assets Over $2,500,000.

PHILADELPHIA, April 14, 1869.

I hereby acknowledge the receipt of the full sum of Three Thousand Dollars, from the American Life Insurance Company of Philadelphia, in payment of Policy No. 6 899 for $3,000 on the life of Isaac Whittier, deceased.

I also acknowledge the return of all the notes given for premiums on said policy. The dividends having liquidated the same in full. SAMUEL HARPER, Administrator of the estate of Isaac Whittier, dec'd.

Applications for insurance in this old and reliable Company may be made to

W. P. CHERRINGTON,
No. 96½ Fourth avenue, or to
SAMUEL HARPER,
No. 93 Diamond street.

New York Auctions.—We thank our friends and customers for their very liberal patronage this week, and invite those who have not called to examine our stock. Fine Linen Damasks at $1,00, worth $1,50. Linen Napkins, 87½, $1,25 and $1,75, about half their value. Gents. Hemmed Handkerchiefs much below prices. Special bargains in Black Alpacas. With a full and complete assortment of new Striped Poplins, Plain and Mixed goods for suits, at J. M. Carr's, 118 Federal street, Allegheny.

Linen Goods of the choicest brands. Bates & Bell's.

It is a fact that Leibler, No. 104 Wood street, rules the trunk trade in the west. He sells at wholesale and retail prices which defy competition. Readers in need of anything in the line should not fail to pay him a visit.

The Very Latest Silk Mantles, just received. Bates & Bell's.

Marvin's Superior

Lemon Biscuit,
Sugar Biscuit,
Ginger Snaps,
Spiced Jumbles,

Are for sale by all grocers at retail, cheaper, and of better quality, than people can make at home. Bakery No. 91 Liberty street. f mw:2w

The Premium Trunk Factory, No. 104 Wood street, continues to attract throngs of customers each day, offering unequaled bargains ts wholesale and retai customers. 1

Ladies' Furnishing Goods: Bates & Bell's.

It is a luxury and a comfort to bathe, shave, or have your hair cut or dressed at the elegant establishment of H. B. Williamson, No. 190 Federal street, Allegheny. Try it. F

My Solace.

Who gives me time to rest, to read?
Who fills my purse 'gainst time of need?
Who is to me a friend indeed.
The Weed Machine.
At 116 Market Street.

Furnishing Goods—Napkins, Doylies, Towels, Stand and Piano Covers, Toilet Setts, Furniture Coverings, Curtain Netts, Damasks, Sheetings of all widths, Pillow Case Muslins and Linens—a full stock from the most celebrated makers. Bates & Bell.

The best evidence that trade is lively in the city is adduced from the fact that Leibler, No. 104 Wood street, is driving an immense business in trunks, valises, carpet bags, etc., all of which of course he sells at lowest cash prices. Give him a call.

Boys' Cassimeres.—The most complete stock ever offered in the city, at J. M. Carr's, 118 Federal street, Allegheny.

Great Auction Sale Continued of Macrum & Carlisle's entire stock of fancy goods and trimmings at No. 29 Fifth avenue, in the store lately occupied by A. H. English & Co. Auction sales at 10 A. M. and 2 and 7 P. M. See advertisement. H. B. SMITHSON & Co.

Liebler, No. 104 Wood street, at the extensive Premium Trunk Factory, continues to offer the very best home made trunks and valises at popular prices.

The place to get White Lime, Calcined Plaster, Hydraulic Cement, is at Ecker & Caskey's, 13 Smithfield street

Black Silks for Suits. Bates & Bell.

MARRIED:

M'CLELLAND—MAWHINNEY—On Tuesday evening, April 13th, 1869, Mr. WILL A. McCLELLAND to Miss SADIE J. MAWHINNEY, of Pittsburgh. No cards.

DIED:

RICHARDS—At New Orleans, Louisiana, April 2d, 1869, in the 29th year of his age, CHARLES G. RICHARDS, formerly of Birmingham, Allegheny county, Pa.

UNDERTAKERS.

ALEX. AIKEN, UNDERTAKER, No. 166 FOURTH STREET, Pittsburgh, Pa. COFFINS of all kinds, CRAPES, GLOVES, and every description of Funeral Furnishing Goods furnished. Rooms open day and night. Hearse and Carriages furnished.

REFERENCES—Rev. David Kerr, D.D., Rev. M. W. Jacobus, D. D., Thomas Ewing, Esq., Jacob H Miller, Esq.

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